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..:CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:..

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DR. FRANK L. WELLS ELECTED EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

WORK OF PROMOTIONAL SECRETARY ADDED TO DUTIES OF EXTENSION SECRETARY

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Conference Board of Christian Education held in Alexandria, January 17th, Dr. W. W. Holmes, pastor our Rayne Memorial Church, New Orleans, tendered his resignation as Executive Secretary. Dr. Frank L. Wells, Chairman of the Conference Board of Christian Education, and pastor of our First Church in New Orleans, was elected to take up the duties of this office.

All communictaions intended for Executive Secretary should be sent to Dr. F. L. Wells, Box 742, Alexandria, La.

Rev. A. K. McLellan, Extension Secretary, was given additional duties as promotional secretary. It is understood he is to be responsible for the promotion of the work of the Department of the Local Church which includes Training Schools, Institutes, Summer Assemblies, etc.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION MAKES SUPREME EFFORT TO MEET ITS OBLIGATIONS

No Second Call Made On Conference Finances

The membership of your Conference Board of Christian Education, led by Dr. F. L. Wells, chairman; Dr. W. W. Holmes, executive secretary; Dr. N. E. Joyner, in charge of College affairs, and Mr. Floyd B. James, Treasurer, and in cooperation with the Investment Committee of Centenary College, made the almost superhuman efforts necessary to keep the financial obligations of this Board from making necessary a second division of the Conference Benevolences.

Determined not to allow these financial obligations to reduce the allowances made by this Conference to superannuates and other worthy causes, they spent hours, day and night, trying to make the finances sufficient to meet the obligations in sight. It was done.

We honestly believe the members of the Conference and the entire membership of the Church will so appreciate the splendid efforts of the Board of Christian Education in protecting the funds of the Conference that they will rally to the support of all the Benevolent apportionments and report a larger percentage than last year.

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EVANGELISTIC EMPHASIS IN CHURCH SCHOOL,, JANUARY, FEBRUARY AND MARCH

The Board of Christian Education urges every pastor and general superintendent of the church school to give a large place in their plans for evangelistic emphasis during the months of January, February and March, or, for that matter, during any more convenient period suitable to the local leaders.

A large number of leaflets for guidance is available for local church leaders in making their plans for this evangelistic season. It is the expressed hope of the Conference Board of Christian Education that equal emphasis may be laid on the importance of bringing every member of the Sunday School and Epworth League into active membership in the Church. We list below some leaflets available:

1. Evangelism in the Sunday School, A Symposium—A Plan.
2. The Lost Sheep.
3. A Serious Question and a Practical Answer.
4. If the Salt Have Lost Its Savor.
5. The Shrine of Sleeping Childhood.

These and other leaflets may be had from Conference, Box 742, Alexandria, and General Board of Christian Education, 810 Broadway, Nashville, Tenn.

CHILDREN'S WORK

Mrs. W. W. Holmes, who has given so splendidly of her time to the children's work of our Conference Board of Christian Education, as a volunteer worker, deemed it wise to give up this work, presenting her resignation at the meeting of the executive committee in Alexandria, December 17th.

The Committee instructed the Executive Sceretary to secure some one to take the place vacated by Mrs. Holmes.

CONFERENCE COUNCIL CALLED TO MEET IN ALEXANDRIA, JANUARY 16-17

Saturday and Sunday, January 16th and 17th, have been designated by Mr. Charles N. White, president of the Louisiana Young People's Conference, and Miss Elizabeth Langford, Field Secretary as the dates for convening the Young People's Conference Council.

A call for this meeting will soon be in the mail to the members of the council. This will be a very important meeting, since the program for the months before Assembly will be outlined.

FINDINGS AND RESOLUTIONS

Young People's Meeting, Tallulah

We, the Findings and Resolutions Committee of the Pep Rally meeting in Tallulah, La., Dec 5-6, composed of the Young People of Monroe District, bring the following for your approval:

Because the Tallulah people have so cordially opened their homes for our comfort and entertainment;

Because Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Giles have been untiring in their efforts to make us feel at home;

Because the Methodist Church here has given us a cordial welcome and gracious hospitality;

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to each of them.

We are indebted to Dr. W. C. Scott and Dr. G. F. Winfield for their inspiring addresses, and to Reverend A. K. McLellan for his illuminating presentation of Missions. We are grateful to Misses Yuki Hinata and Helen Mandelbaum for their helpful visit. We appreciate the co-operative spirit shown us by our new presiding elder, Dr. W. L. Duren.

We appreciate our hearty welcome in Tallulah.

We find the opinion of the Group to be:

1. The new program of Christian Education is the finest organizational set-up yet proposed for our Christian Educational System. It has great possibilities for the future development of the entire church. We urge the Young People to adopt the Unified Plan and to institute it as rapidly as

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ATTENTION, YOUNG PEOPLE! Did You Observe Epworth Highroad Night? Will You?

Sunday, December 13, was Epworth Highroad night throughout Southern Methodism. It is very important that every young people's organization, whether yet organized under the new plan or not, make a special effort to observe this night, and to get the facts about this, our splendid new publication, before every single young person. Leaders of young people, do not fail to use the material which will be sent to you by your district secretary, and see that your young people have access to the program material and inspiration received from the Epworth Highroad.

—Mary Searles,
Publicity Superintendent.

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CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Organ of the
Louisiana Conference
Board of Christian Education
ALEXANDRIA, LA.

REV. F. L. WELLS, D. D., Executive Secretary.
REV. A. K. McLELLAN, Extension Secretary.
MISS ELIZABETH LANGFORD, Young People's Secretary.
MRS. W. W. HOLMES, Supt. of Children's Division.
REV. J. B. GRAMBLING, Supt. of Young People's Division.
REV. W. H. GILES, Supt. of Adult Division.
REV. A. S. LUTZ, D. D., Supt. of Training Division.
REV. W. WINANS DRAKE, D. D., Supt. of Missionary Education.
MISS MARY SEARLES, Young People's Publicity Superintendent, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

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possible. We ask that this be carefully and thoroughly done in each church, and that the task be completed in every church before the Assembly in June.

2. We find an excellent corps of workers in our District, with the possibility of effective work in the Young People's Division in our District this year. We are indeed doubly fortunate in having both Rev. J. B. Grambling and Miss Elizabeth Langford in our District this year.

3. The advance word concerning the Epworth Highroad has convinced us that Dec. 13th officially set aside by the General Board should be faithfully observed by every church. We recommend the three publications for our Division and heartily endorse their use.

4. We recommend that earnest efforts be made to pay the Sequoyah pledges during December. We ask that during January, February, and March, the Conference Promotion Pledges be paid in full, leaving the remaining months before the Assembly to raise Mission pledges. As our efficient Conference Treasurer, Harold Riggs, lives in our District, we as a District should be first in meeting our obligations.

5. We recommend that Young People's Day be observed throughout the District, in place of the former Epworth League Anniversary Day, and that an offering be taken for Conference Work, to supplement the Conference Promotion Pledges.

6. We ask that each Church continue to send in a monthly Missionary Offering from the Young People's Division in addition to paying the Epworth League Missionary Special at Mansfield Assembly.

7. We suggest that the Young People's Division of the entire District hold a Pep Rally or its equivalent at least qquarterly.

8. We want each church to emphasize our summer Assemblies, and to be well represented there. An assembly Boosters Club for the District will promote this.

We particularly urge the Young People to get busy in putting the new organization into effect, as they will find it a great stimulus to the work of the Kingdom in the Young People's Division.

We think an account of this Rally, including the Findings, should be sent to the New Orleans Christian Advocate and to the Christian Education Bulletin.

Respectfully submitted,

Frances Langford,
Henry A. Rickey,
Fannie McLendon.

SHREVEPORT CITY UNIONS MEET

The Anna Pharr Turner Union—Hi-Leagues of Shreveport—met Friday night, November 20 with over sixty present. Devotional was led by Mary Lee Wing, and consisted of a talk on Japan by Melvin Roe; Chorus singing by all—the beloved choruses of Assembly; at the business meeting Noel chapter was awarded the banner. A social hour closed the meeting, and a lively time was enjoyed.

The Senior City Union met Monday night, November 23, at First Methodist Church. Though the crowd was rather slim, the program was good. After the opening devotional, the Cecilia Choral Club of the Y. W. C. A. sang; Burton Weekly made a splendid talk on Thanksgiving. During the business session, Mangum Memorial young people were awarded the banner; canned goods were brought by the young people of the Union to be given to a needy family on Thanksgiving. This Union has done some fine social service work—buying blankets for a little girl whose family is poor. The meeting ended with a social, at which time hot tamales and hot coffee were served.

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ELIZABETH LANGFORD UNION, OF BATON ROUGE DISTRICT, HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

Sunday, November 8, the regular monthly meeting of the Elizabeth Langford Union of the Baton Rouge District was held at Hammond. The devotional was led by Miss Mary Eva Stewart of Amite, on the theme of Music. A talk was made by Mrs. Stewart, bringing out the idea that each of us are members of the orchestra of Life, and that if we are to play our instrument in this orchestra we must keep in tune with the Heavenly Father, and practice every day. Muriel McLean then gave another thought on the theme.

During the business session, Rev. J. Henry Bowden set up an organization according to the new plan as it should be, explaining the details and fine points to those churches where the plan has not been put into effect.

Plans for a Union Party to be held in Hammond after Conference were discussed. After the count of churches had been taken the meeting adjourned with the announcement that the Council meeting would be held in Ponchatoula on the fourth Sunday and the next Union meeting there on the second Sunday in December. Amite, Hammond, Ponchatoula, and Natalbany were represented.

ZACHARY YOUNG PEOPLE HOSTS TO HOYT M. DOBBS UNION, B. R. DISTRICT

Zachary young people were hosts to the Hoyt M. Dobbs Union of the Baton Rouge District Sunday, November 15. A total attendance of eighty-one answered roll call—Istrouma, 23; Keener, 18; St. Francisville, 16; Zachary, 24.

The devotional was led by Miss Rose Fonte, the feature of which was a vocal duet—"Ivory Palaces," by Mrs. Doyle and Mrs. Tycer.

Vance McLean of Keener presided over the business meeting, which consisted largely of a discussion of the changed standard for awarding the UNION banner, also the method of raising the Union budget. The banner was awarded, under the old standard, to Keener Memorial Young People's Division.

Rev. Clayton of St. Francisville announced that an Epworth League has been organized at Spillman, Louisiana, with Miss Annie B. Spillman as president. He also spoke of a new Sunday Schoo,l which his church is assisting, and the Union offered to help with this project too.

The meeting adjourned to meet again the third Sunday in December at St. Francisville. Home-made candy and salted pecans were served during the fellowship period.

DR. R. E. SMITH WRITES LESSONS FOR ADULT STUDENT, 1932

Our readers will be glad to know of the selection of our own Dr. Smith to write the lessons for an elective course for Adults for the first quarter, 1932. The title of the course is, "The Liquor Problem."

This interesting clipping, taken from the Florida Bulletin of Christian Education, pays a fine tribute to Dr. Smith:

"The first quarter of 1932 the Adult student carries in addition to the International Uniform lesson, an elective course for adults. The title of this course is, 'The Liquor Problem." The writer of these lessons, Dr. R. E. Smith, of Centenary College, Shreveport, La., is well known to our Florida people. Dr. Smith was, some years ago, vice president of Southern College and teacher of Bible."

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

January-February-March, Suggested Season of Evangelism.

January 16 and 17—Young People's Conference Council—Alexandria.

February-March—Training. Young People's Institute and Conference.

March 12—Young People's Anniversary Day.

April 17—Sunday School Day.

Every Fourth Sunday—Missionary Day.

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CENTENARY COLLEGE NEWS

Centenary College was honored November 6 by a visit of one of the South's most eminent statesmen, Hon. Hatton W. Summers, Congressman from the Dallas district, of Texas. He addressed the faculty and student body in the morning. He left a profound impression upon his audience, mos tparticularly, perhaps, in his ringing challenge to the college students who will compose the citizenship of the coming generation. Upon their shoulders, he believes, rests the hope of future economic and political stability. "I believe the colleges," said Mr. Summers, "hold the hope of the future; from Centenary College and other leading colleges and universities will come stalwart men and women who will write their names high on the pages of history; men and women who will be able to meet the difficultics of our present age with an intelligence that will not be content with false values and with a feeling of responsibility that will not allow our nation to be led by them."

Dr. George S. Sexton, president of Centenary College, addressed the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Wichita Falls, Texas, at their annual banquet on the night of December 5.

A delegation from Centanary College returned today from Conway, Ark., where they attended the dedicatory services of the new $150,000 scinece building at Hendrix College. In the group were Profs' Geo. M. Reynolds. S. D. Morehead, Bryant Davidson, Mrs. Amanda Reynolds, and A. M. Shaw, Jr. Featuring the service was a brilliant address by Dr. Robert A. Millikan, America's foremost scientist, in which he emphasized the importance of liberal arts colleges in our educational system as well as the importance of public spirited Citizens who give freely to the support of private four year colleges. Dr. John Hugh Reynolds, president of Hendrix College, is father of Prof. Geroge M. Reynolds, of Centenary College.

Dean John A. Hardin and Prof. George M. Reynolds, of Centenary College, returned today from Montgomery, Alabama, where they attended the anual meeting of the Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools of the Southern States, the important accrediting association of colleges and universities in this part of the country, of which Centenary has been a member for the past six years.

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CONFERENCE GOAL

"Every Sunday School observing Sunday School Day with an offering by April 17th."

Help us reach this goal. Send offering to Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, La.

MAC DONELL TRAINING SCHOOL GRADUATES ATTENDING COLLEGES

HILLIAS MARTIN

Hillias is near graduation at the Berry Schools, Georgia, where he is working on a four year Agriculture course. The Berry Schools offer opportunities for self help that has made it possible for Hillias to work his own way.

LEOLA MARCELLE

Leola is a Junior at the Louisiana State Normal. She is specializing in the French lnguage. The Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Harrell, pastor at Columbia, Louisiana, are providing the funds for Leola's scholarship.

PEARL NEAL

Pearl graduated from the Mac Dowell Training School June, 1931. She is now in her Freshman year at the Louisiana State Normal College, taking the Home Economics course. The Crowley Woman's Missionary Society subscribes $200.00 a year as a scholarship which provides the means for Pearl's stay at Normal.

A. F. C. UNION, RUSTON DISTRICT, HOLDS MEETING

The regular meeting of the A. F. C. Union of Ruston District was held in Ruston Sunday, November 8. A very brief report, unofficial, of this mecting has reached the publicity agent. Miss Elizabeth Langford was present, and greeted the Union. It is reported that a most interesting program was given, under the leadership of Wallace White, District Secretary. The next meeting of this union will be in Homer the second Sunday in January. Representatives were there from Haynesville, Arcadia, Ruston, Farmerville, and Homer. Farmerville was represented for the first time in the history of the Union. There was a total attendance of 105.

"Rev. H. K. Lew has charge of the work in our schools and is also in charge of the Editorial Department. He has been and is now doing a very significant piece of work in the way of preparing text books to be used in our work and in the editing of the "New Life." (Korea).

"SUMMER RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONFERENCE"

Rev. J. O. Kim

In planning for the Summer Conference we had great difficulties on account of insufficient funds. With the cooperation of Dr. Cable and Mrs. Chaffin, presidents of our scminaries, we were able to carry out our plans with greater success than ever before.

Place and Time

The Conference ran from July 21 to 30. As all agreed that the Diamond Mountains were best, it was so decided. This year a convenience we had not had before was the Christian Summer Resort which the Presbyterians had just built in the Diamond Mountains. We felt this was the best place to meet, and the Presbyterians gladly lent us the use of the building.

Trip

On the night of July 20, many delegates met at Seoul and took the train together to Wonsan, planning to leave there early on the morning of the 21st. From Wonsan one can go either by auto or by boat. As the boat fare is about one third that of the auto, 128 persons, or nearly everyone, indicated a preference for the boat. It takes at least eight hours, and so we chartered a boat for 6:30 a. m. But when the time came, it was raining and the boatmen were afraid to start out. In bad weather the boat is very uncomfortable, and even dangerous. Furthermore, we discovered that instead of a passenger boat, the company had been able to get only two small freight boats for us. About ten o'clock the rain stopped, and we decided to go. But in about two hours a storm blew up, and everyone became seasick. In the boat I was in, only one missionary and myself were the only ones not sick. When I saw the trouble everyone was having I wondercd if I was not a Jonah. If I could have helped them by jumping overboard, I should have done so. The storm gradually grew worse, and it became not only very uncomfortable, but really very dangerous; and so we decided not to continue to our destination but to put in at a little harbor called Kojeh at three in the afternoon. Some were happy to land. The rest were too far gone to care. We called autos from many places, and the first left Kojeh at 7 p. m., and the last at 11:30. I remained until the last car, and we arrived at the mountains at two in the morning. With no loss of life we finally all got there. But our original plan to open the Conference at 7 p. m., July 21, could not be carried out.

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.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 1931

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 7.81	$ 8.72	$ 4.05	$ 20.58
Alco				
Bays Hills	.20	.20	.20	.60
Bunkie				
Boyce				2.67
Basile				
Colfax				
Cheneyville	.60	.25	.35	1.80
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.65	.35	.50	1.50
Fellowship				
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				
Marthaville				1.50
Montgomery				
Natchitoches				8.00
New Roads				
Oakdale				
Oberlin				
Opelousas	.75	.90	.35	2.00
Palmetto				
Petreville	.35	.55	.65	1.55
Pineville		10.00		15.00
Provencal				
Pleasant Hill	.44	.45	1.27	2.16
Robeline				3.76
Rosedale	1.60		1.00	2.60
White's Chapel	.55	.49	45.	1.49
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite		4.50		4.50
Antioch				
Angie				
Baton Rouge:				
First Church				26.27
Istrouma	.75	2.10	1.25	4.10
Keener Mem.				
Baker				
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				7.72
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs				1.71
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Donaldsonville				
Ethel				
Friendship				
Franklinton	1.68	3.21	2.45	7.34
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond				
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				4.63
Ponchatoula		2.70	5.88	8.58
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				1.61
Springfield				.40
St. Francisville				
Slaughter	1.39	.97	1.85	4.21
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				.48
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				1.75
Zachary		6.00		6.00
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	.81	2.95	1.20	4.96
Bell City				
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier	.11	.68	.17	.92
Gueydan	1.11	4.77	.78	6.66
Hornbeck				
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				2.00
Kaplan				1.31
Lafayette	2.22	2.56	1.29	6.07
Lake Arthur				1.08
Lake Charles	8.22	4.16	6.09	18.68
Leesville				
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				
Pine Grove				
Prospect				1.20
Rayne				
Sulphur	2.00	.71	1.15	3.86
Vinton				10.00
Zwolle				
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				
Bethel				
Brushwood				1.00
Benton				1.99
Campti				
Castor				
Cotton Valley	2.00	2.00	2.00	6.00
Coushatta	1.30	1.25	1.10	3.65
Clayton				
Davis Springs				
Doyline				
Eden				2.00
Ferriday				3.07
Good Pine				
Haughton				
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden				
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	1.02	.93	1.70	3.65
Ringgold				3.00
Rochelle				
Sicily Island				
Sibley				1.73
Springhill	.59	.82	2.26	3.67
Standard				
Trout				
Winnfield				
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston				
Columbia				8.47
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi				
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				4.02
Kilbourne				
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				
Lake Providence				
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge				
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	4.06	18.34	5.78	28.18
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove				
Oak Ridge	2.40			5.88
Pioneer				
Rayville				
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	2.12	1.73	3.00	6.85
Union				
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro	1.70	1.20	2.45	5.35
Wisner	1.23	1.50	2.55	5.28
New Orleans District				
Bayou Blue				
Berwick				
Covington				
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				
Houma	6.25	4.60	3.20	14.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City				3.70
New Orleans:				
Algiers				10.25
Carrolton Ave.	8.18	6.60	16.80	31.58
Epworth	1.41	3.76	3.23	8.40
Felicity		2.00	1.79	3.79
First Church	10.52	5.30	5.41	21.23
Gentilly				
Louisiana Ave.				1.41
McDonoughville				
Parker Mem.	5.22	4.21	1.89	11.32
Rayne Mem.	6.63	5.22	8.90	20.75
Second Church				
St. Mark's	1.68	3.09	3.23	8.00
Patterson				
Point au Chien				
Slidell				2.25
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				
Athens				
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				.35
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				
Claiborne				
Choudrant				
Clay				
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				2.00
Dubach				
Dykesville				
Downsville				
Eros				
Farmerville				
Gibsland				
Homer				
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				1.40
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				2.35
Lisbon				4.92
Longstraw				
Marion				
Oak Ridge				
Quitman		1.20		1.20
Ruston				
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange	.12	.15	.28	.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				1.05
Shreveport District				
Belcher	.56		2.98	3.54
Bossier City				
Bethany				
Bethel				
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				
Grand Cane				3.00
Gilliam	1.00		2.25	3.25
Greenwood				2.50
Hosston				
Ida				
Keithville	.50	1.00	.75	2.25
Logansport				5.73
Longstreet				1.43
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	3.09	1.05	5.36	9.50
Mooringsport				
Mitchell				
Naborton				
Oil City				
Pelican				1.46
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove	3.18	2.91	2.62	8.71
Claibourne				
First Church	13.50	7.08	26.12	46.70
Mangum Mem.				
Noel Mem.		5.00		30.04
Park Ave.		5.00		7.00
Stonewall		2.00		3.45
Vivian				

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

Help us to keep this list correct by sending your offering to Floyd B. James, Treas., and F. Harold Riggs, Treas. Young People's Conference, Box 742, Alexandria, before 10th of each month

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Interesting the Uninterested

Dr. W. C. Scott, Pastor, Rev. Henry Rickey, Educational Director, Plan Evangelistic Study

We are using Wednesday evening as the hour for stimulating the workers of the Church to go after the Uninterested within the bounds of our Church membership. We have something like 1345 members, many of whom never darken the door of the Church. We must get them into church work, before we can conscientiously go after outsiders.

Wednesday Evening Studies in Evangelism

On Wednesday nights of this month, I am giving an historical series of studies on "Great Spiritual Awakenings." We enlisted the workers of the Church for the course, getting them to sign for it. Last week I

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Conference Director of Children's Work Chosen

Mrs. R. R. Branton To Direct Program Activities of Children's Division

Miss Doris Alford, for three years Director of Children's Work in the Mississippi Conference, came to our Conference as the December bride of Rev. R. R. Branton, pastor of our church at Newellton. Because of this happy event, the Louisiana Confernece Board of Christian Education has secured the consent of Mrs. Branton to carry on the constructive work done by Mrs. W. W. Holmes as Director of Children's Work for the past two years.

Serves Without Salary

Mrs. Branton has entered into the work with the enthusiasm and devotion of one

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Young People's Day, March 13

The second Sunday in March (March 13) has been set aside by our General Conference as Young People's Anniversary Day.

Every local church is expected to observe this special day for our young people at either the morning or evening church hour.

The March issue of the Epworth Highroad will carry a special program to be used by the young people and pastor. A pageant is also being written for this occasion and can be secured from Lamar and Whitmore at fifteen cents per copy.. It may be that a special sermon by the pastor would be the appropriate observacne.

The offering taken at this hour goes to our Conference young people for promotional purposes. We are especially anxious to make this year's Anniversary Day a success in order that Miss Elizabeth Langford, our Young People's Conference Secretary, might return to the field the first day of May for several months of field work.

Begin, now, to make your plans for this important day for the youth of our church.

—E. L.

TREASURER'S REPORT

TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S TREASURERS:

My statistical report as of January 15th revealed the following conditions:

In Alexandria District	10 Divisions	remitted	$ 43.53	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In Baton Rouge District	10 Divisions	remitted	51.06	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In Lake Charles District	9 Divisions	remitted	46.38	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In Minden District	6 Divisions	remitted	14.46	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In Monroe District	10 Divisions	remitted	73.65	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In New Orleans District	13 Divisions	remitted	106.20	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In Rustin District	5 Divisions	remitted	5.48	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
In Shreveport District	8 Divisions	remitted	32.47	for Fourth Sunday Offerings
TOTAL	71 Divisions	remitted	$371.23	for Fourth Sunday Offerings

Our hats off to New Orleans and Monroe!!!

On the Mission Special Pledges:

Alexandria District	1 Chapter	$ 5.00 Total
Baton Rouge District	4 Chapters	34.76 Total
Lake Charles District	1 Chapter	1.16 Total
Minden District	2 Chapters	8.00 Total
Monroe District	NONE	
New Orleans District	2 Chapters	10.00 Total
Ruston District	2 Chapters	9.35 Total
Shreveport District	8 Chapters	52.54 Total
TOTAL	20 Chapters	$120.81 Total

Give Baton Rouge and Shreveport a big Hurrah!!!

What's the matter with Monroe?

Four chapters in Louisiana have paid a total of $17.65 on the Mt. Sequoyah Building Fund since last June. Have you done your part?

At our Young People's Assembly last June we budgeted for Conference Promotional activities $2400.00.

To date we have paid in toward this budget $70.10. Lake Charles and New Orleans Districts have paid NOTHING.

There are only three sources for this revenue. They are: Conference Promotion Pledges, Appropriation from Conference Board of Christian Education, and Anniversary Day Offerings.

The Conference appropriated us $300.00, which it is unable to pay at this time. So it is up to US. WE MUST GO FORWARD, and on our own initiative. Let this be a challenge for every Young People's Division to pay toward the Conference Promotion Budget.

Also for EVERY CHURCH TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY DAY ON MARCH 13th (or some Sunday as near that time as possibel).

We have set ourselves a goal of $2000.00 for the Conference. Let the smallest church send in not less than $20.00. It can be done! It has been done!

Thus we have the story. Our task is large and the results to date are small but where are the young people today who are afraid of big jobs;

Let Louisiana youth answer the challenge!

Sincerely,

F. Harold Riggs, Treasurer,
Young People's Conference.

Some Plans For Conference Year

The work for which the Conference Board of Christian Education is responsible must depend for its success upon the district leaders and their contact with the local churches.

Our first task this year is to build up an active district organization that will in turn help to reach every local church and arouse its leadership to a like activity to have an alive and growing church.

Thus, a major task to begin immediately is the organization of a District Board of Christian Education in each of our districts. This Board would be responsible for developing and directing all activities of Christian education within the district. Its membership should be composed of the presiding elder, district secretary of Christian education, district director of children's division, district secretary young people's work, district director adult work, district superintendent of missionary education, and the district secretary of Woman's Work. Provision is made for at least three elected members. We urge our presiding elders and district secretaries of Christian education to begin plans for the setting-up of these Boards and through them plan a dis-

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S ANNIVERSARY DAY, MARCH 13

BULLETIN
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Organ of the
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ALEXANDRIA, LA.

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INTERESTING THE UNINTERESTED

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spoke on "The Spiritual Awakening under St. Francis of Asisssi." This week is on "Mystical Stirrings in the 14th Century." Next week is the Wesleyan Revival—then comes a study of the great American revivals. This is to give a background for our evangelisitc work.

Scott Leads Study on Evangelistic Methods

During February, Brother Scott is to lead a study of Modern Evangelistic Methods. During March, the workers will be organized into personal visitation squads—to visit every home in the Church and show personal attention to the backslidden and the unreached within our own membership. Wednesday nights that month will be a period for reports on work done, new assignments, and inspirational moments. The last week in the month, Holy Week, will bring a series of nightly services, closing with the great Cantata, "From Olivet to Calvary." It is primarily a movement to quicken the spiritual life of our own church constituency—though, of course, others will be touched along with them. Next year we might expand our membership, but this year, we will center our work on what we are supposed to have. Our Church is handicapped in that it only seats one fourth of our membership—when we pack 350 into the auditorium, people think we have a huge crowd.

Fireside Series of Evening Services

Others might be interested in our Fireside Series of Evening Services during January and February. We sing old songs like Home, Sweet Home, and Old Folks at Home —two or three of them—then slide into a good rousing hymn. After a prayer, we have some feature for the evening—last night it was an excellent cornet solo. Next evening it will be the Jubilee Singers, Negro Spirituals. Then Dr. Scott preaches on some theme connected with the Home—Successful Marriage, Causes of Failure Before Marriage, Causes of Failure After Marriage, the Father, the Mother, etc. People said that we couldn't get a crowd at night—but the Church has been packed at the two services so far—last night we could not have seated another — Sunday School room was jammed.

CENTENARY COLLEGE NEWS

Dr. George S. Sexton, president, and Prof. George M. Reynolds, secretary to the faculty of Centenary College, left this morning for Cincinnati, Ohio, where they will attend this week the eighteenth annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges, as well as the annual meeting of the Liberal Arts College Movement, which is being held concurrently with that of the former.

The Third Centenary Annual Tour which leaves New York for Europe on June 17th will carry with it six hours of college credit, and, while the hours will be easily earned, the learning that will take place would compare favorably with any cultural course in a university curricula, according to Mrs. A. R. Campbell, dean of women at Centenary College, who will act as hostess of the tour.

Pi Mu Sigma, a pre-medical fraternity organized on the campus of Centenary college in 1925, will bring prominent medical men of the city before its membership to speak on topics of interest.

Bishop Hoyt M. Dobbs, who presides over the Louisiana Conference of the Methodist Church, South, made an address before the students and faculty of Centenary college Monday which was characterized by Dr. Sexton, president, as "one of the most important messages you will ever hear in your whole life." Speaking on the subject, "The Elements of Success," Bishop Dobbs said, "everyone who would be successful must have character, ability, and influence."

A committee on "relief for college boys who must work or go home," composed of prominent business men of the city of Shreveport, was formed this week to assist over fifty boys attending Centenary college to find jobs so that they may be able to remain in college for the rest of the college year.

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

February-March, Suggested Season of Evangelism.
February - April — Training. Institutes, Conferences and Standard Training Schools.
March 13 — Young People's Anniversary Day.
April 17—Sunday School Day.

June Assemblies

June 8-14—Young People's Assembly.
June8-14—Adult Assembly.
June 15-21—Hi Assembly.
Every Fourth Sunday—Missionary Day.

OUR SUMMER CAMP IN DIAMOND MOUNTAINS

Rev. J. O. Kim

There were 201 regularly registered from 22 districts, including North Manchuria; over 70 auditors did not register as regular members; and besides those there were many visitors. The evening lectures were attended by some 400, and in the day 250 and 300 were studying. In each of three subjects 392 certificates were granted. There were other subjects offered in which credit was not given for religious education; special courses for preachers. This accounts for the fact that not more certificates were given. The highest grade, 98, was made by a local preacher, and the second highest by a college graduate. The former walked for three and a half days to come to the Conference, a distance of over one hundred miles. The members, most of them, were high school graduates, some were college graduates; and many were preachers. There were five standard class periods included in the program.

On Sunday morning we had a special service on the famous "Mountain of a Thousand Shapes," about eight miles from the Conference House. In the presence of this grand bit of His handiwork we were impressed with the power of God. Not a person failed to attend this service.

On the last day certificates were presented and a prize cup to the winning district. The cup was won by the Wonsan District. After closing, we left immediatcly, some walking, some riding.

SOME PLANS FOR THIS CONFERENCE YEAR

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trict program of Christian education which will effectively reach every local church.

Five definite problems have been suggested for consideration in the Conference this year:

1. The Home and Foreign Missionary Enterprise.
2. Proper Use of Our New Literautre.
3. Relation Between College and Local church.
4. Reaching the unreached.
5. The new legislation, its explanation and interpretation.

In a more detailed program there are many elements which must be cared for in a Conference program of Christian education.

Rev. A. K. McLellan, Promotional Secretary, attended the Board of Managers' meeting at Keller Lodge, Seashore Assembly, January 26th. The Pastors' School dates are June 27-July 8. Special provisions were made for undergraduates of the participating Conferences.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ANNIVERSARY DAY, MARCH 13

DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S WORK FOR CONFERENCE CHOSEN

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who loves and knows the work to be done. We urge all of our presiding elders, pastors, superintendents, district workers, and others, to cooperate with her in every way in order that she may be encouraged in the work she plans to do. She is serving without salary and with the duties of the Newellton Church to be shared with her pastor husband we should be most considerate of her every effort to do this great work of the church.

CONFERENCE OFFICERS AND UNION PRESIDENTS HOLD MEETING, ALEXANDRIA

Conference officers and Union Presidents of the Louisiana Conference held a most profitable and interesting meeting in Alexandria January 16 and 17, with about forty present, including all Conference officers and District Secretaries, and most of the union presidents, throughout the state.

Splendid work was reported by District Secretaries, as well as by Union representatives. Most helpful discussions took place on many vital subjects, led by Miss Elizabeth Langford, Rev. A. K. McLellan, Mr. Charles N. White, Miss Anna Pharr Turner, Mr. F. Harold Riggs and Miss Lillie Mae McQuaid. These were some of the subjects, incorporated into which were reports from the meeting of the Council of Christian Education held at Nashville, which was attended by Miss Langford, and Mr. McLellan:

Anniversary Day, New Literature, Missionary Enterpries, Conference Finances, Summer Assemblies, Unions and their relation to the local church, Training work.

The group felt the challenge to exert greater effort, both individually and collectively, to "reach the unreached" this year, to do great things for the Kingdom, and to make the program of the Young People in Louisiana Conference vital to every young person. It was resolved to have Young People's Anniversary Day observed in every church in the Conference, setting as the financial goal the sum of $2000.00.

It is felt that this meeting was very successful from every standpoint, both reviewing the work done, and in planning future activities.

UNIONS

The "All for Christ" Hi-League of Ruston District met in Homer January 10 with 95 present from Homer, Haynesville, Arcadia, and Ruston. The feature of the program was a most impressive candle service.

The Hoyt M. Dobbs Union of Baton Rouge District met with Keener Memorial Young People, with 120 present from Zachary, Istrouma, St. Francisville, Keener. Zachary again carried off the banner. Reports of the Alexandria meeting of Union Presidents were given by Miss Lillie Mae McQuaid and Vance McLean.

The Boosters Union of Minden District has been reorganized with Miss Hazel Hendrix of Jena as president, and she showed her interest and enthusiasm by attending the Union Presidents' meeting. The Union embraces Jena, Ferriday, Standard, Olla, Trout, Winnfiled, Sicily Island.

Mary Searles, Publicity Supt.

The Young People of the Verbeaucal Union of the Lake Charles District met at DeRidder January 22, 23, 24, in a week-end institute. Rev. Howard E. Pfost, pastor was host, and Miss Elsie Whitman, Lake Charles District Secretary, was in charge.

CHILDREN'S DIVISION NOTES

By Mrs. R. R. Branton, Director of Children's Division

In succeeding Mrs. Holmes as Director of Children's work in the Conference I feel keenly the difficulties that will be mine in attempting to take the position that she has held so ably and through which she has rendered such a fine service to the Conference. However, since she is unable to carry on longer in this field I appreciate the confidence that the Board of Christian Education has placed in me in asking that I assume responsibility for the work and I trust that we shall be able to move forward this year in spite of the difficulties we face.

Two Council Meetings Planned

We are eager to secure in each of the districts, a District Director of Children's work. Already in some of the districts splendid workers have been giving service for some time. Before many months we hope to publish a complete list of these district directors in order that you may know to whom you may look for leadership in your own district. In order that plans may be made we are contemplating holding one or two Council meetings for the Conference at an early date. Miss Mary Skinner will be with us in these meetings to give us guidance.

Ask Assistance of Pastor

A letter has been sent to each pastor asking that he send the names and addresses of the teachers of children in his church. As rapidly as possible we hope to accumulate a list of these workers so that we can write to them and send them the helps and information that are available for them. There are on hand a number of leaflets that every teacher of children should be acquainted with.

The Teacher As An Evangelist

Just at this time every teacher of Junior children should read the leaflet "Evangelism with Boys and Girls." This will help these teachers to know the best approach to make to the boys and girls concerning the important matter of joining the Church. One Junior department took almost the entire time during one of their departmental meetings discussing the suggestions given in this pamphlet. Certainly it is true that the teacher who does not make an earnest effort to lead her pupils to a definite committment of their lives to the Cause of Christ and to joining the Church is failing to avail herself of one of her greatest opportunities. On the other hand the teacher who goes into this task in a mechanical way, disregarding the fact that without some very definite guidance Church membership will be almost meaningless to the child, is also overlooking a high privilege of hers. Fortunate is the child whose teacher is able to make companionship with Christ and membership in the Church so attractive and so meaningful to him that he assumes the vows of Church membership with joy in his heart and remembers the day always because he realizes what he is doing as far as it is possible for him to do so. I shall be glad to send one of the pamphlets, "Evangelism With Boys and Girls" to any teacher who will write and ask for it.

Tallulah Begins Child Study Group

We are glad to learn that the Tallulah Church has recently begun a Child Study group. No finer thing could be done by any Church. Understanding of children is achieved only by deliberate effort and the Church that is so eager to understand the child in order to meet his needs that it sets aside a time to definitely study him deserves to be commended.

What Are Your Particular Problems

What are the big difficulties you find in your teaching of children? Is it a lack of interest on the part of the children? Is it a lack of proper equipment? Is it the lack of interesting materials? Whatever your particular problem is I would be glad to hear from you and to give you any aid possible. For almost every need you may have there are materials available that will help you. I shall be glad to serve you in any way that I can and will be glad to have a letter from you at any time.

CONFERENCE GOAL

"Every Sunday School observing Sunday School Day with an offering April 17th or any other suitable date."

Help us reach this goal. Send offering to Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, La.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Word has just come of the sad death of Mrs. F. D. Hutchens in Shreveport. She had been a worker in First Methodist Church for many years. Her work with the Junior department and the Vacation Bible Schools merited well deserved commendation. This outstanding work among children led to her selection as Superintendent of Children's Work for the Woman's Missionary Society of our Conference.

Rev. H. L. Johns, our pastor at Ruston, held an educational rally for the Ruston district in the Ruston Church the evening of January 26th. Miss Elizabeth Langford, Conference Secretary of Young People's work, and the Rev.Henry Rickey, Director of Christian Education, Monroe First Church, were the principle speakers. More than 10 churches were represented; six pastors and the presiding elder were present.

In a note from Brother A. M. Mayo, Superintendent of the great Sunday school at our Broad Street church, Lake Charles, in which he urges his officers and teachers to subscribe to the Bulletin of Christian Education. He has this to say: "I think this step will place us in a more vital touch with all our work."

Again he urges: "From now until March 27th please lay on the hearts of your teachers to be more evangelistic in presenting the lessons, that the pupils may be led to a definite surrender to, and acceptance of Christ as their personal Saviour." Rev. E. C. Gunn is the pastor.

.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1931

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 5.73	$ 7.11	$ 5.40	$ 38.82
Alco				
Bays Hills	.25	.25	.25	1.35
Bunkie				1.13
Boyce				4.32
Basile				
Colfax				
Cheneyville	.20	.30	.35	2.65
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.50	.25	.25	2.50
Fellowship				
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				2.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				
Marthaville	.25	.35	.40	2.50
Montgomery				
Natchitoches				8.00
New Roads				
Oakdale				
Oberlin				
Opelousas	.30	2.30	.70	5.30
Palmetto				
Petreville	.16	.35	.65	2.71
Pineville		15.00		15.00
Provencal				
Pleasant Hill	.50	.75	1.25	4.66
Robeline				6.33
Rosedale				5.32
White's Chapel	.34	.40	.30	2.73
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite				4.50
Antioch				
Angie				
Baton Rouge:				
First Church				26.27
Istrouma	.75	1.10	1.25	7.20
Keener Mem.				
Baker				3.50
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				14.50
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs				3.64
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Donaldsonville				5.59
Ethel	1.51	2.60	1.50	5.61
Friendship				
Franklinton	1.77	.87	2.57	12.55
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond	4.35	4.10	4.85	13.30
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				7.94
Ponchatoula	2.57	4.93		16.08
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				3.61
Springfield				.40
St. Francisville				
Slaughter	.50	.85	1.20	6.76
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				.48
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				3.25
Zachary		1.50		6.50
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	.62	2.05	.60	8.23
Bell City	.10	.15	.20	.45
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier				.92
Gueydan	1.06	1.30		9.02
Hornbeck				4.39
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				2.00
Kaplan				1.31
Lafayette	2.00	1.10	1.35	10.52
Lake Arthur				1.08
Lake Charles	5.82	4.67	6.72	35.89
Leesville				
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				10.37
Pine Grove				
Prospect				2.12
Rayne				
Sulphur	1.23	.51	1.45	7.05
Vinton				15.00
Zwolle				
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				
Bethel				
Brushwood	.25	.50	.25	2.00
Benton				3.85
Campti				
Castor				
Cotton Valley	2.13	2.13	2.14	12.40
Coushatta				3.65
Clayton				
Davis Springs				
Doyline				
Eden				4.00
Ferriday				5.35
Good Pine				
Haughton				4.59
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden				12.28
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.60	1.01	1.78	7.04
Ringgold				4.85
Rochelle				
Sicily Island				
Sibley				1.73
Springhill				3.67
Standard				
Trout		3.00		3.00
Winnfield				6.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston				
Columbia				8.47
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi		1.00	.90	1.90
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				4.02
Kilbourne				1.40
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				2.28
Lake Providence				4.40
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge				
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	9.82	9.97	18.97	66.90
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove	.76	1.00	.11	1.87
Oak Ridge	.91	1.20	.70	8.69
Pioneer				
Rayville				
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	1.65	1.37	1.78	11.15
Union				
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro	1.13	.65	1.45	8.58
Wisner	1.18	.77	1.59	8.82

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
New Orleans District				
Bayou Blue				
Berwick				
Covington				
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				
Houma				14.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	1.09	.70	1.05	6.54
New Orleans:				
Algiers				10.25
Carrolton Ave.	7.43	6.20	17.43	62.64
Epworth				8.40
Felicity	1.58	1.25	1.47	8.09
First Church	9.02	2.35	5.36	37.96
Gentilly	2.64	.52	1.26	4.42
Louisiana Ave.	.77	.55	.60	3.33
McDonoughville	5.50	1.86	1.90	9.26
Parker Mem.				11.32
Rayne Mem.	3.99	3.42	5.35	33.51
Second Church	2.17	5.50	5.00	12.67
St. Mark's	3.05	3.17	3.45	17.67
Patterson				
Point au Chien				
Slidell				4.25
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				
Athens				
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				.85
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				2.25
Claiborne				
Choudrant				
Clay				
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				2.00
Dubach				1.84
Dykesville				
Downsville				
Eros				
Farmerville				
Gibsland				
Homer				
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				3.55
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				4.35
Lisbon	.57	.46	.90	6.85
Longstraw				
Marion				
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				1.20
Ruston				
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				1.88
Shreveport District				
Belcher	1.35		2.65	7.54
Bossier City				
Bethany				
Bethel				.87
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				3.00
Grand Cane				6.00
Gilliam				6.04
Greenwood				
Hosston	.59	1.10	1.50	3.09
Ida				2.25
Keithville	.45	.50	.75	3.95
Logansport				8.64
Longstreet				2.77
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	2.09	1.27	3.31	16.07
Mooringsport				
Mitchell				
Naborton				
Oil City				1.46
Pelican				2.76
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove				12.32
Claibourne				
First Church				80.32
Mangum Mem.				
Noel Mem.				46.93
Park Ave.				9.00
Stonewall				3.45
Vivian				2.50

Help us to keep this list correct by sending your offering to Floyd B. James, Treas., and F. Harold Riggs, Treas. Young People's Conference, Box 742, Alexandria, before 10th of each month

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Young People's Assemblies

The Young People's Assemblies in Mansfield—times of genuine interest in religion and special training in our Church program—are soon to come again.

My experience in connection with these Assemblies has convinced me that they are occasions of the greatest spiritual value to the young people of our State. They are times of real conversions, real Christian character formation and definite instruction in Church activity.

I have seen, not just a few but many, many young people gloriously filled with the Spirit of Christ, promising their lives in His service, and sticking to it. Many a record of our younger ministers and missionaries and Christian workers had its definite beginning in a Vesper service on the campus of Mansfield College. Just a passing emotional excitement, you say? Go over the State of Louisiana, find the active Christian young people in every Methodist Church, and find how many can cite a Mansfield vesper service as the inspiration for their deeper loyalty. Of course there are some who go home and forget; but there are many more who go home converted or reconsecrated, determined to put the experience into practice.

Fellowship such as found in the Assemblies is a wonderful thing. Young folkfind they are not alone in their desires to be Christian as they perhaps were back home in their "crowd." They find it easy—and popular—to be good. Strangely enough they find they have the best time they ever had in their lives without once having to do anything questionable. What an incentive to Christian living to find two or three hundred other young folk who feel as they do!

But they are not the only ones who discover something valuable. Older folk, preachers and instructors, must often make over their preconceived notions that most young people are listless and indifferent, if not actually hostile, to the real values of life. Many an older person regains confidence in youth, gets young again himself, and gets new revelation of the Spirit.

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CHILDREN'S DIVISION NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Branton
Director of Children's Division

On Saturday, February 27, the Children's division workers of the New Orleans District met in Rayne Memorial Church for an all day discussion of topics of importance to the work of the children's division. Mrs. R. S. Crichlow is the New Orleans district director of children's work and at her call representatives from practically all the Churches in the city were present.

We were fortunate in having Miss Mary Skinner from Nashville with us in this meeting. She led a discussion in the morning session concerning the work of the advisory committee on children's work. Some of the responsibilities of this committee that Miss Skinner brought to the minds of the group were these:

1. Discovery and training of teachers of children.

2. Prevention of over-development of one department or class at the expense of other departments or classes.

3. Promotion and encouragement of inter-departmental or inter-class activities such as sharing of pictures, making gifts for each other, planning of parties for each other, etc.

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LOUISIANA CONFERENCE
BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH
ALEXANDRIA, LA.

My dear Brother Pastor:

The Board of Christian Education manifested the daring of its faith, during Conference, by offering to carry through its program this year without calling for a second division of funds from the various Boards. We knew that this second division of funds would work a severe hardship on our superannuated preachers and upon our brethren serving churches that receive appropriations from Conference Mission funds.

This act of faith on the part of your Board was attempted in the confident expectation that the pastors would get definitely behind the Sunday School Day offerings from their charges and would do their best to see that this cause is well supported this year.

Brethren, we are utterly dependent upon the returns from Sunday School Day for any sort of program for our Conference work. We therefore appeal to you to help us in this matter.

Yours very cordially,
FRANK L. WELLS,
Executive Secretary,
Chairman of Conf. Bd. Ch. Ed.

Sunday School Day Observance Set For April 17th

Programs To Be Mailed Soon To All Superintendents

A large number of our Sunday Schools have already signified their intentions of observing April 17th as Sunday School Day in their local churches.

We urge each Sunday school in our Conference to plan for Sunday School Day observance at which time the play "THE GOOD SHEPHERD" may be used, or some other service suitable for the occasion.

There are three very definite things we should like our Sunday school leaders to consider most seriously in making their plans for the observance of Sunday School Day:

1. That there be a presentation of the teaching ministry of the Church to the congregation.

2. That a suitable service be chosen at which time the largest number may be reached.

3. A goal of at least 10 cents per member be set for the offering to be taken.

The greatest encouragement and impetus local church leaders can give to the cause of Christian Education is a church-wide observance of Sunday School Day—a program and offering in each church.

Every Methodist Church in Every Community Reaching Every Person for Whom It Is Responsible in 1932

By John Q. Schisler

If the local church would save itself, it must seek to save others. Any program of Christian education which does not involve definite concern for reaching others outside the church membership is certain to fail. Satisfaction with the numbers in our present membership usually reveals a pathetic absence of that passion for the lost which characterized our Lord.

The Methodist Episcopal Church, South,

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BULLETIN
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
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CENTENARY COLLEGE NEWS

The Centenary faculty and student body were furnished an unusual treat this past week when Dr. Jacob Gartenhaus, a former Jew, now embracing the Christian faith, delivered a stirring address at a special convocation. "For years my people have been looking for the Messiah; I have found him in Jesus of Nazareth. This Man fulfills every requirement and has every quality we have always expected to find in the 'coming Messiah'."

Centenary College has accepted an invitation from Louisiana State Normal, Natchitoches, to participate in the state-wide contest to be held March 19 at the Normal. Subject of the contest will be "Life of Washington—Its Significance."

Industrial and business leaders of the city of Shreveport are undertaking a project of unusual moment to Centenary College and the educational prospects of hundreds of boys in this area during the coming years. The project involves a co-operative effort whereby boys will be enabled to "earn while learning." Local business firms and corporations together with these of national scope with branch stores and offices here are providing jobs in their organizations for Centenary boys who would otherwise be forced to leave college.

Dean R. E. Smith, head of the department of Religious Education at Centenary college, beginning February 1, conducted a series of lectures in Galveston, Texas, dealing with present day religious problems and programs.

One faculty member, two seniors, and six juniors received a coveted honor February 18th, when they were initiated as members of Eta Sigma Chi, local chapter of the scholarship Societies of the South, at Centenary College.

An informal "no Decision" debate was staged this week on Centenary campus between the Centenary team and a team representing the University of Oklahoma which was passing through Shreveport on its way to Southern Louisiana and Mississippi. The question debated was "Resolved: That Congress should enact legislation providing for the control of Industry."
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4. Making special days meaningful to children.

5. Promoting interest and intelligent participation in Church enterprises on part of children.

In the afternoon some children's songs were learned and Miss Skinner discussed children's worship. This discussion left each person present with the conviction that God has not granted us a finer privilege than that of entering with children into the worship of Him. She helped us to realize anew that the best teachers are those who are sensitive to the presence of God and can lead their children into this sensitiveness through their everyday experiences.

District Meeting Planned

It is hoped that during the year we may be able to have a District meeting for children's workers in each district. Already plans are being made for such meetings in the Monroe and Ruston Districts. The date for the meeting in Ruston is March 15th. The date for the Monroe meeting will be announced later. Each Church should have as many of its children's workers present in these meetings as possible. There is not a worker anywhere who does not need the inspiration and information that comes from gathering for a few hours with other people who are engaged in the same task that she is. Your Conference Director of Children's work desires to meet the workers in the local Churches as rapidly as possible and these district meetings will give the opportuniyt.

LOCAL CHURCHES URGED TO ORGANIZE AND REGISTER ADULT DIVISIONS AND ADULT CLASSES

Should Be Reported Immediately

Rev. W. H. Giles, Conference Director of Adult Work, broadcasts an appeal to all Adult Divisions and Adult Classes to register their organization with the Adult Division of our General Board of Christian Education. Your registrations should be made through Rev. W. H. Giles, Tallulah, Louisiana. Registration blanks will be sent you on request.

The organization and registration of young adults in local churches as departments or Wesley Classes, and on the Circuits, into a Young Adult Federation will doubtless prove a wise and profitable step on the part of the pastors. By such organization that group of young men and women will be held together by common group ties and interests; and thereby their talents and energies conserved and used to promote the Kingdom of Christ. Such organizations would prove a great help and inspiration to the pastor in promoting the best interests of his charge and the general program of the church.

EVERY METHODIST CHURCH IN EVERY COMMUNITY REACHING EVERY PERSON IN 1932

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must advance at this point or it will advance at no point. This is a statement which may not be applicable to every local church, though it is applicable to many, but it certainly is true when applied to the church as a whole. Therefore, any adequate program of Christian education in the local church must set before itself as one of its definite objectives to reach every person in the community for whom that church is responsible.

Only two Annual Conferences in the entire connection show as large membership in the Sunday school in 1930 as at any previous time in their history. In other words, every Conference in the Church except two shows a decrease in Sunday school enrollment in 1930 as compared with the year its enrollment was at its peak. The loss ranges all the way from 77 in the small Conference of Arizona to 16,208 in the Baltimore. These figures are taken from the reports of preachers to the Annual Conference. If you will recall that 72 per cent of those received into the church annually come from the Sunday school, you will be shocked into a realization of what this condition means to the future membership of our church.

What We Do Need

1. We need the passion for the lost sheep which burned in our Savior's heart. Unless we have it we shall fail. If we have it we shall succeed.

2. We need to know the facts about the situation in our community. An awareness of the facts will move us to action.

3. We need some simple workable plans which can be used through the entire year. (See leaflet, **Suggestions to Local Churches on Membership Increase.**) These plans should be formulated by the Local Church Board of Christian Education, or by a special committee appointed by the Board for this purpose, and should be thoroughly discussed in the Workers' Council, and then used with continuous vigor.

If every Methodist Church enters into this effort with the holy zeal which it deserves, we shall see great ingatherings during the next year.

MONROE PLANS TRAINING SCHOOL

A city-wide Standard Training School is planned for Monroe April 10-15. The Rev. Henry Rickey, Educational Director of First Methodist Church, is Educational Director of the Training School. Mr. S. M. Collins was elected Chairman of the Board of Managers. The Courses to be taught are:

The Life of Christ—Dean R. E. Smith.

The Pre-School Child—Mrs. R. R. Branton

Building the Program for Seniors and Young People—Rev. H. L. Johns.

The Board of Managers are: Mr. S. M. Collins, Rev. Henry Rickey, Rev. W. C. Scott, Rev. Louis Hoffpauir, Rev. R. M. Bentley, Mr. R. H. Goza, Mr. Myatt McClendon, and Mr. J. L. Treadway.

FOURTH QUARTERLY REPORT DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION KOREAN METHODIST CHURCH

Young People's Work

During this quarter we have thought much about the young people's work and have made for the first time a year's program in pocket note-book form. It is not perfect, but it is a start, and we expect to improve it as time goes on. We have sent it to every church. We have also begun the making of district "news books." A book is passed round, and each church in turn adds pictures and news and passes it on to the next church. At the end of the year we shall glean the news from these books and exhibit them at the Summer Conference.

To the department of young people's work falls especially the Epworth League. It is reported to be very difficult to organize Epworth Leagues. I have been thinking about the matter, and have concluded the difficulty is to be traced to three causes. First, the political and social conditions in Korea are different from those in other countries. It is difficult to get the young people to follow the rules of the organization. They question what good they will derive from them; they must understand the purpose. Many of them think of the League as a social organization, a club. We think they are wrong and try to teach them not to think of it in that way, but they do not understand well.

In the second place, there is difficulty because of the deficiency in culture. This is partly due to the teaching methods in the schools. They stress learning by rote rather than development of character. We believe much of the responsibility for this lack of culture rests with the leaders of the young people. We pray that we can find at least one good leader who can cope with this problem.

In the third place, this is a time of transition. We cannot blame the young people for these three difficulties, and we realize it is difficult partly because we have not been able to get a good leader. We need one who can take this work thoroughly in hand. We request your careful thought along this line.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSEMBLIES

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As for the classes, they are something definite to hang this new found inspiration to; a knowledge of Christ, his principles in world and personal problems, the Bible, and then specific instruction in all phases of our Church organization.

Surely everyone who has ever attended an Assembly will agree that it is a place of inspiration, information and consecration so unusual in these days that every Church should make every possible effort to help make it possible for her young people to be in Mansfield during June, 1932.

—Guy M. Hicks.

PRESIDENT YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONFERENCE URGES ANNIVERSARY DAY OBSERVANCE

March 13th is the day designated by the General Board for Anniversary observance; however, it isn't absolutely necessary that you observe on this day if some other Sunday in the near future is more convenient. If your plans have not already been worked out, may I urge that you confer with your young people about the matter? If any District Secretary or other officer of the Young People's Conference can assist you in putting over the program, feel free to call on us.

Our Young People's work is going in a big way. We are planning for two of the best Assemblies we have ever had. The progress of our work in the immediate future depends very largely upon YOUR observance of this special day. Remember, from that group of young people in your Church today will come leaders of Church and State ten and twenty years hence. By all means, let the Methodists of Louisiana know what our young people are doing by observing Anniversary Day.

CHAS. N. WHITE,
President La. Y. P. Conference

OUR ORPHANAGE

(Tune: Glory Hallelujah)

Our Orphanage at Ruston
Is a grand and glorious home
For many lonely boys and girls
Who otherwise would roam
Among our towns and villages
With none to take them in
And give them loving care.

Chorus

Save your Octagon soap wrappers,
Save your Octagon soap wrappers,
Save your Octagon soap wrappers,
And bring them to Sunday School.

To get five thousand dollars
We must have a million wraps
So bring them in and bring them in
On Easter day perhaps
We'll have enough to get that prize
For our own orphan's home
In good old Ruston town.

Used by Workers Council, Carrollton Ave. Methodist Sunday School, New Orleans, La.

BUNKIE YOUNG PEOPLE ORGANIZE

On a recent Sunday night, the young people of our Church at Bunkie reorganized along the lines of the new young people's program. The following officers were elected:

Rhea Caldwell, President; Virginia Lyles, Vice President; Montez Haas, Jr., Secretary; Eugine Earnest, Treasurer; Joyce Morgan, Agent for Periodicals; Florence Nettles, Counselor.

Dr. J. F. Foster is the pastor, and Mr. W. P. Bridendall is Superintendent.

Every local Church in our Conference should begin now to make plans for the observance of College Day, May 29th.

THE UNIFIED PLAN OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN A LOCAL CHURCH

By Rev. J. H. Bowdon

In the psychological make-up of most of us there is an aversion to change. The old is glorified; the new is looked upon with suspicion. I am sure that explains the tardiness in so many of our churches in putting into operation the Plan of Unification for the educational interests of the local church outlined by our General Conference of 1930. I cannot go into detail, but I will outline in a general way how we set-up this new plan in our Church at Ponchatoula:

First of all, the Board of Christian Education was elected. My church is not a large one, so I have only five on this Board. An effort was made to include every section of the church life in selecting the Board of Christian Education. I secured a bound copy of all the pamphlets issued by the General Board of Christian Education touching the problems of the Local Church, and gave one to each member of the local Board of Christian Educatoin with the request that it be studied diligently. Some weeks were given to diligent study.

After the local Board had studied their pamphlets for a while we took our second step. The Local Board of Christian Education along with a selected number from the young people of the church were called together for the purpose of discussing complete organization. We decided that the Unified Plan was best suited for our local church; we then laid definite plans of procedure in organizing our Young People's Division.

The third step was the organization of the Young People's Division. We have two departments in our Young People's Division; The Intermediate, and the Senior-Young People's Departments. The first age group is from 12 to 15; the second group is 16 to 23. All the officers were elected, and the young people decided to work with these standing committees: The standing committee on Worship and Evangelism; The standing committee on Missions and World Friendship; and the standing committee on Recreation and Personal Development. Special committees are appointed as the need arises. Charters have been secured for both departments. A copy of the Epworth Highroad was ordered for every member of the Senior-Young People's Department. The Torchbearer and Haversack are used as supplementary reading material in the Intermediate Department. Each Department secures their League material from the literature ordered for their department.

This, of course, is a mere outline of what was done. The new plan is working splendidly at Ponchatoula, and I believe that once the church gets accustomed to it, there is much merit in the plan.

Twenty-two subscriptions to the Christian Education Bulletin were sent in recently by Mrs. D. C. Warner, Superintendent of Missions, Monroe First Church.

.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTH OF JANUARY, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 6.22	$ 6.01	$ 4.35	$ 55.40
Alco				
Bays Hills				1.85
Bunkie				1.13
Boyce		.51	1.26	6.09
Basile				
Colfax				6.06
Cheneyville	.40	.50	.35	3.90
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.50	.50	.50	4.00
Fellowship				4.76
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				2.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				
Marthaville	.25	.50	.40	3.65
Montgomery				
Natchitoches				13.00
New Roads				
Oakdale		1.70		10.47
Oberlin				
Opelousas				5.30
Palmetto				3.00
Petreville				2.71
Pineville		20.00		20.00
Provencal				2.71
Pleasant Hill	.76	1.15	1.65	8.22
Robeline				10.38
Rosedale				8.49
White's Chapel	.45	.51	.41	4.10
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite		4.15		8.65
Antioch				
Angie				2.12
Baton Rouge:				
First Church				78.15
Istrouma	.75	1.00	1.25	10.20
Keener Mem.		10.42		10.42
Baker				3.50
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				22.46
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs				6.12
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Donaldsonville				7.93
Ethel	.30	.15	.55	6.61
Friendship				
Franklinton	2.24	2.68	1.05	16.52
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond				13.30
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				13.99
Ponchatoula		2.37	5.09	23.54
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				5.36
Springfield				1.40
St. Francisville				3.25
Slaughter	.78	.55	1.67	9.76
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				1.14
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				3.25
Zachary				6.50
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville				8.23
Bell City				.45
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				15.00
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier				1.72
Gueydan	.72	1.76	1.52	13.02
Hornbeck				4.39
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				2.00
Kaplan				1.31
Lafayette	2.13	1.96	1.00	15.61
Lake Arthur				2.12
Lake Charles	6.40	4.35	8.89	55.53
Leesville	3.99	3.40	1.45	8.84
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				15.67
Pine Grove				
Prospect				3.12
Rayne				
Sulphur	1.93	1.25	1.99	12.22
Vinton				20.00
Zwolle				16.66
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				1.76
Bethel				
Brushwood	.25	.25	.50	3.00
Benton				6.26
Campti				1.00
Castor				
Cotton Valley	1.50	1.50	2.00	17.40
Coushatta	2.11	2.80	2.53	11.09
Clayton				
Davis Springs				
Doyline				
Eden				6.00
Ferriday				5.35
Good Pine				
Haughton				4.59
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				1.86
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden				20.38
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.85	.93	1.75	10.57
Ringgold				8.60
Rochelle				
Sicily Island				1.00
Sibley				4.55
Springhill	.90	2.36	1.50	8.43
Standard	.50	1.00	.50	2.00
Trout	.80	.70	1.00	5.50
Winnfield				6.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston				
Columbia				8.47
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi	.90	1.45	.68	4.93
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				4.02
Kilbourne		1.25		2.65
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				3.28
Lake Providence				4.40
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge	.80	1.31	.70	11.11
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	13.50	13.29	11.63	105.32
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove				4.84
Oak Ridge	1.17	1.50	.90	12.26
Pioneer				
Rayville				
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah				11.15
Union				2.78
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro	.97	1.84	2.75	14.14
Wisner	1.04	1.61	2.43	13.90
New Orleans District				
Bayou Blue				
Berwick				
Covington				
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				
Houma				14.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	1.01	1.50	1.20	10.25
New Orleans:				
Algiers				14.94
Carrolton Ave.	9.15	6.97	16.04	94.80
Epworth	2.90	1.40	4.05	23.95
Felicity		2.60	1.50	12.19
First Church	8.82	4.22	5.31	56.31
Gentilly	1.37	.25	.30	6.34
Louisiana Ave.	.83	.40	.50	4.86
McDonoughville	2.79	.97	1.40	14.42
Parker Mem.	9.71	5.48	5.14	31.65
Rayne Mem.	5.86	3.93	4.15	47.45
Second Church	1.31	2.01	2.00	17.99
St. Mark's	3.54	3.43	4.25	28.89
Patterson				3.27
Point au Chien				
Slidell				4.25
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				2.80
Athens				
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				1.45
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				2.25
Claiborne				
Choudrant				
Clay				
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				4.00
Dubach				4.05
Dykesville				
Downsville		.75		2.65
Eros				
Farmerville				
Gibsland				
Homer				45.06
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				5.39
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				4.35
Lisbon	.32	.55	.60	8.32
Longstraw				
Marion				8.80
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				1.20
Ruston				
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				2.28
Shreveport District				
Belcher	.97		3.00	11.51
Bossier City				
Bethany				
Bethel				1.47
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				3.00
Grand Cane				8.70
Gilliam	1.31	1.50		8.85
Greenwood				
Hosston	1.06	.74	.85	4.74
Ida				2.25
Keithville				3.95
Logansport				10.64
Longstreet				4.06
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	2.36	1.20	4.99	24.62
Mooringsport				
Mitchell				1.00
Naborton				
Oil City				1.46
Pelican				4.36
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove	1.62	1.57	1.01	16.32
Claibourne				
First Church				132.01
Mangum Mem.				
Noel Mem.	8.21	9.76	8.90	73.75
Park Ave.				11.00
Stonewall				6.36
Vivian				7.50

Dear Superintendent:

Orphanage Day falls this year on March 27th, which day is also our Fourth Sunday, Missionary Day.

We cannot allow anything, even though very important, to interfere with the call of our Orphanage. So—

Will you please urge your school to move your Missionary Day for March to the First Sunday in April?

Your cooperation in this particular instance will be appreciated most gratefully.

Help us to keep this list correct by sending your offering to Floyd B. James, Treas., and F. Harold Riggs, Treas. Young People's Conference, Box 742, Alexandria, before 10th of each month

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Interesting Facts About Mansfield Assemblies

June 7-13—Young People's Assembly
June 14-21—Hi Assembly

Dr. Walter Towner, our Young People's Secretary from Nashville, Tenn., will be the Central Office Representative to our Young People's Assembly.

'Our own Julia Reid' from Matanzas, Cuba, is to be with us. She writes that she is bringing a young Cuban boy, "an enthusiastic Epworth Leaguer" with her as our guest. An Assembly at Mansfield would not be complete without Julia.

Miss Fannie Norman of New Orleans will again supply the good eats for meal time. Last year was Miss Norman's first time as our dietitian and those who feasted at her tables are glad to know that she returns to us again.

The posters, advertising the dates of the Assemblies

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Provision for Young Adults in Program

Young People's Assembly, Mansfield, June 7-13; Registration to be Limited

Through the cooperative efforts of Miss Elizabeth Langford and other conference leaders of Young People's Work and Rev. W. H. Giles, Conference Director of Adult Work, provision for young adults, ages 24-30, was made for this group during the session of the Young People's Assembly at Mansfield, June 7-13.

This group will identify themselves with all activities of the young people's assembly with the exception of class work and business meetings which will be held in the Mansfield Methodist Church adjoining the campus.

Two outstanding instructors are to lead the classes of this group in the following courses:

A Study of Adult Life, Dr. D. L. Munpower, Associate Director of Adult Work, General Board of Christian Education, Nashville, Tenn.

The Home in Society, Mrs. R. E. Smith,

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CHILDREN'S DIVISION NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Branton
Director of Children's Division

Recently a letter came to the director of children's work asking where program materials could be secured for a week-day session of the primary and junior groups of the Church School. This question is in the minds of many teachers who feel a need of extra time with the boys and girls they teach on Sunday. The following is quoted from a letter from Miss Mary Skinner, Director of Children's Division for the General Board of Christian Education, and bears on the matter of program material: "We need not think of extra meetings as a time for 'Putting on a Program.' Is it not rather a time for doing things which we do not have time to do during the limited Sunday session? The lesson materials contain more suggestions than can possibly be carried out during the Sunday session. (See the Closely Graded lesson material for the often unused week-day session, and the Group Graded lessons for the suggested activities beyond the Sunday session.) With this material before her and the needs and interests of the children in mind, a real teacher has no difficulty in knowing how to plan and use the extra time." The extra session might give time for the teacher to

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The Bishop's Estimate of the Church School

I congratulate you and your colleagues upon the plan and the effort to increase the attendance upon and the membership of the Church School.

"People go where people are." There is genuine inspiration in numbers, especially when the objective is that of making religious knowledge attractive and effective.

When we succeed in getting the attention of men and women and of boys and girls, we usually succeed in getting them.

People perish many times for lack of knowledge. The future will have in it that which we put into the thought and life of this generation.

There can be no more important responsibility than this. It may indeed prove to be a race between religious education and catastrophe. We can not afford to fail. We must succeed. Now is the time to lay the emphasis increasingly upon the affirmative. These facts are ringing bells across the continent. We must respond and that right quickly. We are all with you in these high matters.

HOYT M. DOBBS.

Proper Sunday School Day Observance

Means More Helpful Conference Program; Offering Divided Equally Between Conference and District Work

In a proper observance of Sunday School Day there is set before the whole church the great educational program of the church in the community, the plans for accomplishing this, and the part the Sunday School has in carrying out these plans.

There will be a greater appreciation and more loyal support of the cause of Christian education when our people realize the magnitude and fundamental importance of such a program in the local church, and the necessary support and equipment it must have to function properly to gain the desired results.

Sunday School Day, April 17th (or as near thereto as possible) is a special occasion for telling our people

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Every Local Chuch Urged To Observe Sunday School Day

T. W. Holloman, Vice-chairman Conf. Board of Christian Education

At the Conference held in Monroe last November it was found that less than 40 per cent was paid of the amount assessed for benevolences. This seriously threatened the whole program of the church, of which the Conference program of Christian Education is a part. It becomes, therefore, more necessary to replenish the funds for carrying on our Church school work by the Sunday School Day Offerings.

The Discipline provides that it shall be the duty of all pastors and superintendents to see that this day is duly observed and the offering sent to the treasurer of the Conference Board of Christian Education.

As Vice-Chairman of the Conference Board of Christian Education, I am sending this message to all pastors and Superintendents in our Conference, requesting you to do all in your power on April 17th or as near thereto as possible. Programs have been placed in the hands of all super-

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BULLETIN
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Organ of the
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Board of Christian Education
ALEXANDRIA, LA.

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EVERY LOCAL CHURCH URGED TO OBSERVE SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY

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intendents by the Confreence Board and additional copies may be ordered from Lamar and Whitmore, 1308 Commerce St., Dallas, Texas.

Let us give due publicity to this Day, and make it an educational occasion, undertaking to reach a goal of at least 10 cents per member and send same to Mr. Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, Louisiana

PROVISION FOR YOUNG ADULTS IN PROGRAM

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Superintendent of Young People's Division, First Methodist Church, Shreveport, La.

These two splendid instructors need no introduction as they have always been identified with the young life of the Church.

Accommodations will be provided to a limited number in the college dormitory or on the campus with the same rates as for the Young People's Assembly. Registration, $2.00; Board, $9.00.

Let us urge each pastor and superintendent to select a representaitve from this group in each local church at once, as of necessity, registration must be limited.

The attached registration blank should be filled out and with a remittance of $2.00 sent immediately to Miss Hazel Lea Nowell, Mansfield, Louisiana. All requests for information should be addressed to the Rev. W. H. Giles, Tallulah, Louisiana.

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To Miss Hazel Lea Nowell,
Mansfield, Louisiana

Date_____

Check course for enrollment:

( ) A Study of Adult Life—Dr. D. L. Munpower.

( ) The Home in Society—Mrs. R. E. Smith.

$2.00 Registration Fee enclosed.

Name _____

Address _____

Church _____

Position in Church_____

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT MANSFIELD ASSEMBLIES

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have just been mailed to every church in the Conference. Ask your Sunday School Superintendent for yours, if it is not already posted in an attractive place in your church.

Miss Yuki Hinata, one of our fine young people from New Orleans, who is now an honor student at Whitworth College, is to be with us through both assemblies.

The District Secretaries of the eight districts will promote registration in their various districts but all advanced registration for either Assembly will be mailed to Miss Hazel Lea Nowell of Mansfield. These registrations can go in at any time, the earlier the better.

Begin — now — to select your delegates. In doing so try to stay within the age groupings for each assembly. Those from eleven through fifteen go to the Hi Assembly. The Young People's Assembly is for those from fifteen through twenty-three. A special program is being planned for those young adults from twenty-three through thirty at this Assembly. Select those whom you think will bring back the most to your church. Let them come from your Epworth League,s your Sunday School Classes, or from an organized Department.

PROPER SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY OBSERVANCE

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about this in a BIG WAY.

The offernig taken should be sent to Mr. Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, La., marked Sunday School Day Offering.

The Conference Board of Christian Education needs your loyal cooperation in the largest and most usccessful Sunday School Day observance in our Conference.

Record by Districts of Sunday School Day Observance, 1931

District—	No. Schools In District	No. Schools Observing	Total Offering
Alexandria	54	8	$ 84.59
Baton Rouge	53	19	105.81
Lake Charles	29	13	130.32
Minden	47	12	50.88
Monroe	40	11	126.39
New Orleans	35	14	354.67
Ruston	45	8	54.02
Shreveport	28	19	256.37
	331	103	$1138.05

Dean R. E. Smith, head of the department of Religious Education at Centenary College, has just returned from Memphis, Tenn., where he delivered a course of lectures on "The Prophets" before the Sunday School Institute held by the Methodist Churches of that city. On the previous week Dr. Smith gave a course of lectures in Galveston of a similar nature on "The Life of Christ" before the Sunday School leaders and teachers of the Methodist Churches there.

CENTENARY COLLEGE NEWS

With three oratorical contests and seven debates scheduled for the remainder of the season, the coming weeks will see forensic activities at Centenary College shift into high gear, according to Prof. A. M. Shaw, Jr., chairman of the Council for Debate and Oratory.

The debate scheduel is as follows: March 17, Texas A. & M. here; March 21, Emory University here; March 22, Hendrix College at Conway, Ark.; March 23, College of the Ozarks, at Clarksville, Ark., and Millsaps here; March 24, Oklahoma Baptist University at Shawnee, and Southwestren Louisiana Institute here; March 24, University of Okahoma at Oklahoma City, Oka.

Celebrating the 26th Anniversary of the removal of Centenary College from Jackson, La., to Shreveport, unusually impressive services were held on the campus in the chapel today.

Dean Smith pointed out that the growth of Centenary itself over a decade had been remarkable. Like man, it has had a physical, mental and spiritual growth. Additional buildings, mature thinking and worthy traditions have all had their part in Centenary's growth, he said.

Dr. George S. Sexton, president of Centenary College returned early this week from Baton Rouge where he attended a meeting of the Committee on Adult Education, appointed by the Louisiana Follow-up White House Conference, and the Louisiana State Teachers Association. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss plans for the correlation of the educational institutions of the state in follow-up work to be done in Louisiana in connection with President Hoover's national program of child welfare.

Mrs. Huckaby, chairman of May Day exercises, announced today that the fantasy, "The Spirit of Old Louisiana," selected for the occasion of the meeting of the May Queen's Court, is from the pen of a sophomore, Miss Ruth Carlton, who is specializing in music under Prof LeRoy Carlson, who is connected with the music department. The principal characters will be Miss Mary Emily Barrett and Dorothy Molhuson of this city, as well as Miss Agnes Waller, of Bossier City, elected recently by the Centenary student body. The May Fete this year will be held on May 2.

A Centenary College debating team composed of Dudley Loop, sophomore, and Elwyn Chaney, junior, returned to the city last night from a trip which included Hendrix College, Conway, Ark., College of the Ozarks, Clarksville, Ark., Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, Okla., and University of Okla., Norman, Okla.

Dr. H. T. Carley, Presiding Elder, Shreveport District, is writing the lesson intrepretation for August, 1932, for the Church School Magazine.

ANNIVERSARY DAY OFFERINGS CONTINUE TO COME IN

The Anniversary Day offerings for this year have been reaching the Treasurer, F. H. Riggs of Monroe, almost daily. Many churches saw fit, because of a crowded program, to postpone their observance to another date, some even as late as May, so the report to date is very incomplete. If you have not remitted your part be sure to send it in at once.

Those having remitted by the first of April are:

Alexandria District:		
Glenmora	$ 1.00	
Provencal	1.00	
Robeline	2.27	
		$ 4.27
Baton Rouge District:		
Amite	7.00	
Clinton	2.25	
Hammond	25.00	
Istrouma	5.00	
Keener	10.40	
Ponchatoula	8.50	
St. Francisville	5.20	
Zachary	6.00	
		$ 69.35
Lake Charles District:		
Abbeville	11.10	
Lafayette	4.00	
Lake Charles	12.76	
Many	3.24	
New Iberia	2.65	
Vinton	5.92	
		$ 39.67
Minden District:		
Minden	4.65	
Ringgold	5.00	
Springhill	3.50	
		$ 13.50
Monroe District:		
Delhi	10.00	
Lake Providence	2.59	
Monroe, First	39.49	
Rayville	5.10	
Winnsboro	5.00	
Wisner	4.60	
		$ 66.78
New Orleans District:		
Houma	3.15	
La. Ave., N. O.	5.20	
Morgan City	1.25	
Parker Mem., N. O.	8.37	
Slidell	5.00	
		$ 22.97
Ruston District:		
Antioch	1.36	
Clay	2.00	
Lisbon	3.11	
Marion	2.64	
Ruston	34.77	
Simsboro	1.36	
Ruston District Rally	8.73	
		$ 53.97
Shreveport District:		
Claibourne	1.50	
Keithville	3.00	
Stonewall	2.50	
		$ 7.00
TOTAL TO DATE		$277.16

With Baton Rouge and Monroe Districts in the lead.

WEEK'S INSTITUTE PLANNED FOR FRENCH MISSION FIELD CHURCHES

Miss Lucy Foreman, Representing General Board of Christian Education To Be Present

Beginning Sunday, May 1st, a series of institutes are planned for churches in the French Mission Area, icluding Houma and Morgan City. Franklin will also be included in the itinerary for the week. It is the desire of those responsible for the program that every local Church worker be reached through these institutes.

The program and activities for the week are under the personal direction of the following pastors:

Rev. B. H. Andrews, Rev. A. M. Martin, Rev. A. D. Martin, Rev. C. C. Wier, Rev. S. J. McLean, and Rev. A. K. McLellan, Extension and Promotional Secretary of the Conference Board of Christian Education.

Miss Lucy Foreman, representing the General Board of Christian Education, Nashville, Tenn., will be the principal speaker for the Institutes.

The schedule and program is as follows:

Sunday, May 1st— Morgan City, A. M.; Bayou Shaffer, Afternoon; Berwick, Night.

Monday, May 2nd—Franklin, Night.

Tuesday, May 3rd—Morgan City, Berwick and Patterson, at Morgan City, Night.

Wednseday, May 4th—Griffin and Lockport at Griffin, Night.

Thursday, May 5th—Bayou Blue, Night.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 6, 7, and 8—Houma. (The time for Friday and Saturday from 9:30 to 12:00; 3:30 to 5:30; and 7:30. Sunday afternoon the meeting will be at 3:30 o'clock.

Program

For Berwick, Franklin, Morgan City, Griffin and Bayou Blue

1. Worship—20 minutes—Dr. D. B. Raulins, Dr. A. M. Serex.
2. Introduction of workers, and presenting reasons for meeting—Rev. B. H. Andrews.
3. Discussion—Miss Lucy Foreman.

The New Orleans City Union plans to have a Christian Culture Institute based upon the same lines as previous institutes, with April 24th to 28th as tentative dates.

The missionary department of this union presented the play, "The Color Line," at the March meeting held at Rayne Memorial Church. Miss Lydia Mickal directed the play. This is the same play which has been successfully produced both in the Mangum Memorial Church in Shreveport, and the Minden Church, by the respective young people's groups.

CHILDREN'S DIVISION NEWS

Mrs. R. R. Branton

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go with the children into the woods to discover beautiful things, or it might offer an opportunity for the children to make some gift for another group of children in their own or some neighboring Church. It might be an opportunity for learning some of the songs that appear in the lesson materials that we seem never to be able to find time for on Sunday morning. I shall be glad to hear from any teacher who is attempting to do work during the week with the boys and girls of her Church.

On April 16, there will be held in the First Church, Monroe, a meeting for the children's division workers of the Monroe District. The program that has been planned is not one of speech-making but rather a time for discussion of problems that are being confronted by teachers of children everywhere. To this end it is hoped that each person attending will come ready to ask questions and to make contributions to the discussion. The meeting will open at ten o'clock with Rev. W. C. Scott leading the worship. Mrs. J. A. Reid, District Director of Children's Division and the Conference Director of Children's division are anxious to meet representatives from every Church in the District in this meeting. Each person attending is asked to bring sandwiches or cookies.

Teachers of Beginner children everywhere are rejoicing in the new book by Miss McE. Shields, "Guiding Kindergarten Children in the Church School." Any parent or teacher of the child of four or five years will find this book most helpful in helping them to know how to make these years rich and abundant. The chapters on music are particularly delightful. The price of this book is $1.25 and it may be secured from Lamar and Whitmore. It is a text book in the Standard Training Course.

What are you doing to raise funds to send delegates to one of the Assemblies — or both? It is really time to begin, you know, for only about two more months are left in which to do so. Don't forget the dates: Young People's, June 7-13 for those between the ages of 16 and 24 years; Hi-League, June 14-20 for the 12-15-year age group.

The Young People's Division of First Church, Shreveport, recently issued its first Bulletin—a mimeographed sheet containing the anouncements, items of news interest to the Division, editorial comment—making a very interesting paper. This division has Mrs. R. E. Smith as Counselor.

Friday night, March 11, the regular meeting of the Sunshine Union of Alexandria District met in Eunice, with representatives from Opelousas, Pitreville, and Eunice. The April meeting will be held in Pitreville. Miss Anna Belle Cannon si presidnte of this Union, and Miss Daisy Gill is Publicity Superintendent.

.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 6.53	$ 8.34	$ 5.10	$ 75.37
Alco				
Bays Hills	.10	.15	.10	2.20
Bunkie				1.13
Boyce				8.12
Basile				
Colfax				6.06
Cheneyville				3.90
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.60	.50	.50	5.60
Fellowship				4.76
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				12.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville	.25	.35	.40	1.00
Marthaville				3.65
Montgomery				
Natchitoches				25.50
New Roads				
Oakdale				15.20
Oberlin				
Opelousas	.25	2.45	.50	8.55
Palmetto				3.00
Petreville	.35	.90	.75	4.71
Pineville				20.00
Provencal				2.71
Pleasant Hill	.84	.77	1.77	11.60
Robeline				13.31
Rosedale				11.19
White's Chapel				4.10
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite				8.65
Antioch				
Angie				2.12
Baton Rouge:				
First Church				104.00
Istrouma	.75	2.10	1.25	14.30
Keener Mem.		3.15		13.57
Baker				3.50
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				30.45
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				2.00
Denham Springs				2.21
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Donaldsonville				7.93
Ethel	.30	.35	1.20	8.46
Friendship				
Franklinton	1.70	2.15	1.15	21.52
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond				22.80
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				17.18
Ponchatoula	2.24	2.61	3.30	31.69
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				6.81
Springfield				1.40
St. Francisville				5.62
Slaughter	.90	1.00	1.61	13.27
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				1.89
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				4.75
Zachary				6.50
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville				8.23
Bell City				.45
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				26.84
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier	.25	.33	.85	3.15
Gueydan	1.00	2.19	1.31	17.52
Hornbeck				4.39
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				2.00
Kaplan	.50	.50	.70	3.01
Lafayette	2.51	1.25	2.30	21.67
Lake Arthur				3.47
Lake Charles	8.75	8.80	8.20	81.28
Leesville				8.84
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				21.78
Pine Grove				
Prospect				4.54
Rayne				
Sulphur	1.10	1.16	1.04	15.52
Vinton				20.00
Zwolle				16.66
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				2.77
Bethel				
Brushwood	.20	.50	.30	4.00
Benton				8.60
Campti				1.00
Castor				
Cotton Valley	1.48	1.48	1.48	21.84
Coushatta	.89	.67	2.34	14.99
Clayton				
Davis Springs		5.00		5.00
Doyline				
Eden				6.00
Ferriday				8.40
Good Pine				
Haughton				9.25
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville	.64	.50	1.00	4.00
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden				20.38
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.54	.87	1.20	12.18
Ringgold				11.20
Rochelle				10.63
Sicily Island				2.00
Sibley		1.00		7.75
Springhill	1.01	6.55	2.00	12.99
Standard				4.00
Trout				5.50
Winnfield				6.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				5.82
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston		1.65		1.65
Columbia				8.47
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi				4.93
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				4.02
Kilbourne			1.10	3.75
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				4.28
Lake Providence				4.40
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge	.84	.54	2.03	14.52
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	15.38	13.60	20.06	154.36
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove				4.84
Oak Ridge		2.10		17.17
Pioneer				2.45
Rayville	2.50	2.50	4.50	9.50
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	1.49	2.58	3.39	18.61
Union				3.78
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro				18.64
Wisner	1.56	1.63	2.46	19.55
New Orleans District				
Bayou Blue				
Berwick				
Covington				
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				
Houma				14.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	1.29	.93	1.36	13.83
New Orleans:				
Algiers	3.30	2.35	1.35	21.94
Carrolton Ave.				126.09
Epworth				23.95
Felicity	1.50	2.00	1.72	17.41
First Church	9.45	6.21	5.43	77.40
Gentilly	1.36	.30	.35	8.35
Louisiana Ave.	.75	.40	.90	6.91
McDonoughville				14.42
Parker Mem.	1.87	7.16	2.30	42.95
Rayne Mem.	4.40	8.30	4.20	64.35
Second Church	1.52	2.10	3.10	24.71
St. Mark's	2.63	2.68	4.75	38.95
Patterson				4.44
Point au Chien				
Slidell				8.85
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				2.80
Athens				
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				1.45
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				2.25
Claiborne				
Choudrant				
Clay				2.00
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				4.00
Dubach				1.89
Dykesville				
Downsville		.75		2.65
Eros				
Farmerville				2.05
Gibsland				
Homer				45.06
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				1.25
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				4.35
Lisbon	.33	.57	1.05	10.27
Longstraw				
Marion				11.10
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				1.20
Ruston				
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				2.78
Shreveport District				
Belcher	3.05		4.00	18.56
Bossier City				
Bethany				
Bethel				1.78
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				3.00
Grand Cane				11.40
Gilliam	1.50	1.33		11.68
Greenwood				2.42
Hosston				4.74
Ida				2.25
Keithville	.35	.75	.40	5.45
Logansport				12.64
Longstreet				5.41
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	2.68	1.08	5.00	33.38
Mooringsport				2.95
Mitchell				1.00
Naborton				
Noble				1.38
Oil City				1.46
Pelican				5.62
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove	1.67	2.09	1.30	21.38
Claibourne				
First Church	12.38	11.32	32.40	188.10
Mangum Mem.				10.00
Noel Mem.	9.51	3.18	12.39	98.83
Park Ave.				11.00
Stonewall				8.93
Vivian				7.50

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

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First Returns From Sunday School Day

The response from Sunday School Day to date is encouraging. These listed below have remitted their offering and reported program given. Each school is urged to observe Sunday School Day as soon as possible, and remit their offerings to Mr. Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, La.

Alexandria District

Marthaville	$ 2.90

Baton Rouge District

Baton Rouge, First Church	$ 35.02
Bogalusa	10.00
Donaldsonville	1.80
Plaquemine	5.00
Springfield	2.07
Tunica	3.02
	$ 56.91

Lake Charles District

Abbeville	$ 16.00
Crowley	10.00
Gueydan	8.36
Lafayette	13.02
Lake Arthur	2.40
Sulphur	4.20
Vinton	4.54
	$ 58.52

Minden District

Ringgold	$ 3.75
Sicily Island	5.10
Standard	2.60
	$ 11.45

Monroe District

Columbia	$ 10.44
Little Creek	1.00
Tallulah	7.90
Union	4.00
	$ 23.34

New Orleans District

Chalmette	$ 4.25

Ruston District

Gibsland	$ 8.27
Lisbon	6.30
Ruston	46.26
Wesley (Athens)	$ 5.00
	$ 65.83

Shreveport District

Mansfield	$ 15.80
Stonewall	2.00
Claiborne Ave. (Shreveport)	2.00
	$ 19.80
Grand Total	$243.00

Centenary's Place in Educational Development of Louisiana

The first important educational venture of the state was launched in 1825. The institution founded in that year is now known as Centenary College. In that year the state legislature created the College of Louisiana, under the auspices of the state, for the benefit of all Louisiana children, irrespective of birth or circumstances. The College of Louisiana, as Centenary was then called, was established at Jackson. It was the first school in the state, the oldest college west of the Mississippi River.

Early Struggle of College

The early struggles of this college as recorded in the minute books read like romantic fiction. Yet through all the pages runs an indelible record of unswerving belief in the principle of universal education and its relation to the future of Louisiana. Results justified their efforts. From the very beginning the boys educated in the college developed into real assets to the

COLLEGE DAY
Sunday, May 29

state. Their leadership and influence were felt throughout the South and the nation, as well as in their own communities. By 1860, Centenary college was known throughout the land as a leader in the cause of Christian education. She was used as a pattern and her standards were copied by institutions founded with an eye to the future. During the period of the Civil War, Centenary was closed. All her students answered the call to arms. Every member of the senior class of '61 died on the battlefield, fighting for the cause. Undaunted, however, Centenary resumed her education-

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Centenary College Cooperates In Observance of College Day

Former Centenary Students and Graduates In Various Parts of the State to Take Part in Church Services and Young People's Meetings on 'College Day,' May 29

The Alumni Secretary of Centenary College, Mrs. Amanda Reynolds, is making a complete canvas of the state to ascertain the exact location of former students and graduates who have recently attended that institution for the purpose of informing pastors and presidents of young people's societies in the churches of their availability for speaking on 'College Day,' May 29th, before the congregation at morning or evening services, or at the young people's meeting during that day or during the week, if desirable. When the location of this Centenary alumni group has been secured, churches in the locality of each of these men and women will be notified and should they desire them to assist in the observance of 'College Day,' interested parties will then get in touch with them. It is thought by this means many young boys and girls, who know little of college and its meaning in life's activities, will learn first hand, some of the essentials of higher education, and especially Christian Education, that they might not come by in any other way. Dr. George S. Sexton, president of Centenary college, in commenting upon this plan, said, "Indeed, I know of no better recommendation of the benefits of college life than former Centenary college boys and girls themselves. The lives they are now leading stand and will continue to stand as a lasting testimonial not only of the value of a college education, but of a college education with a Christian atmosphere surrounding it and fortifying it on every side."

METHODISM EARLY IDENTIFIED WITH CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

"With the approach of 'College Day' we are reminded of one of the fundamental and abiding principles of Methodism from its feeble beginnings to its position as one of the greatest religious forces of all times," said Dr. George S. Sexton, president of Centenary college, today, in anticipation of this important calendared Sunday, the 29th of May, to be observed throughout the South in all the churches of the various conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. "That principle," continued Dr. Sexton, "is the tremendous power of education. Without a program of education, no religion can expect to survive, and the greater the quality of education embraced by that religion, the more nearly perfect it will be for the reason that as the quality of education and its processes improve, the realization of truth in every field is more highly probable.

Opportunity for Service Today

Speaking of Christian Educatino, Dr. Sexton said that there never was a time since its inception when it had a greater opportunity for glorious service than today. America, in the throes of one of the greatest depressions of all time, is confused. It is waking up in the dawn of a new day when a mind, still bewildered and nursing a persistent 'headache,' is questioning some of

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BULLETIN
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
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REV. F. L. WELLS, D. D., Executive Secretary.
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its habits and characteristics acquired during a period of incredulous squandering and foolish living. It is seriously questioning some of its educational practices, and already there is a re-awakening to the real worth of Christian Education, which had been lost sight of even by many members of our Christian churches. I look for the greatest enrollment in the Christian colleges of this country in the coming fall that we have ever had. Already our registrar at Centenary college has had more inquiries from parents and others interested regarding entering our institution than any year previous. To all parents and others interested in placing their children or some one else in college for the coming year, I recommend heartily a thorough investigation of Centenary and the work it is doing. I would not hesitate to compare it with any other college of like size in the entire country, for we know by careful study what our graduates are doing."

CONFERENCE FOR GENERAL SUPERINTENDENTS AND LOCAL BOARD CHAIRMEN

Mt. Sequoyah, July 23-25

We are glad to announce a Conference for General Superintendents and Local Board Chairmen to be held at Mt. Sequoyah and Lake Junaluska this summer. These Conferences are open to chairmen of Local Boards of Christian Education as well as general superintendents. Pastors and others will be welcome; but we are most anxious that superintendents and chairmen feel that this is their meeting.

The Dates: Mt. Sequoyah, July 23-25

We hope a large number will plan to attend this Conference at Mt. Sequoyah, since the plans are made with the interests of the General Superintendents and Local Board Chairmen in mind.

Every local church is urged to observe College Day, Sunday, May 29th.

CENTENARY'S PLACE IN THE EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF LA.

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al activities in '68, and during the Reconstruction Period, played a most important part in the life and progress of the Southland.

Change of Location

Changing economic conditions following in the wake of new developments in the South during the latter part of the 19th century made it desirable for Centenary college to change its location from Jackson, La., to Shreveport, La. While the early days in the latter place were fraught with many trying problems, the genius of Dr. George S. Sexton, president of the institution since 1921, has wrought a miracle during the past decade, and Centenary now stands as one of the leading liberal arts colleges of the South. During that time the enrollment has increased from 50 to 1000, and the endowment has been raised from approximately $100,000 to $800,000.

Achievements

Perhaps one of the most remarkable records achieved by Centenary collge during that time is in the field of its scholastic achievements. In a recent report compiled by Prof. W. C. Gleason, of the Department of Education, the following interesting facts and figures covering the ten year period, 1921-1931, have been recorded. Total number of degrees conferred, 443, of which 207 were upon men, and 236 upon women. The professions and callings represented and the number entering each were: Education, 234; Ministerial and social service, 16; medicine, 5; law, 6; oil and gas, 30; graduate schools, 47. The remainder of the 443 have entered a large number of other walks of life, including newspaper work, insurance, banking, farming, railroad business, civil service, real estate, music, lumber and other businesses.

Students Doing Advanced Work

An interesting tabulation showed that since 1921, 132 students have done graduate work, and that there are approximately 75 who hold advanced degrees. These advanced students have done work in thirty-five of the best colleges and universities in the country, including Harvard, Yale, Chicago, Columbia, Vanderbilt, Southern Methodist University, Tulane Medical School, Tulane Law School, Pennsylvania University, Louisiana State University, University of Virginia, Texas University, and many others. Graduates are now located in 20 states and three foreign countries.

An examination of the latest "Minutes of the Annual Louisiana Conference" reveals a very remarkable record of Centenary's contribution to the rolls. Forty-seven (more than 25 per cent of the entire active conference membership) are former Centenary students or graduates. 23 were identified with Old Centenary at Jackson, and 24 have done their work at Centenary in Shreveport. This is truly a convincing testimonial of Centenary's contribution to Methodism in our state.

CHILDREN'S DIVISION NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Branton
Director of Children's Division

A large number of our small Sunday Schools secure the group graded lessons for their primary and junior classes and fail to secure the Elementary Teacher magazine for the teachers of these classes. Wherever this is done the hands of the teacher are tied because she is not furnished with a text book. No teacher can take the pupil's folder and prepare adequately for the teaching of the lesson. But with the Elementary Teacher any teacher who will study diligently will be able to teach more than lessons, she will be able to teach boys and girls.

Quoting from Chapter thirteen of the Dsicipline, Paragraph 461, section 1, we have: "It shall be the duty of the Local Church Board of Christian Education to see that the Sunday School and Epworth Leagues and all their authorized classes and departments are supplied with adeqquate and appropriate literature prepared and approved by the General Board of Christian Education." Unless the teachers who teach group lessons are supplied with the Elementary Teacher Magazine, the Disciplinary requirement is not being met. More than that, boys and girls are not having teaching that is what it ought to be. Where there is no local Church Board of Christian Education, Pastors and Superintendents should see to this matter. The individual subscription rate for this magazine is $1.00 per year for individual subscriptions and in clubs of five or more, to one address, 90 cents per year.

Departmentalized Sunday Schools should also furnish their teachers with the Elementary Teacher. In this magazine there are articles of practical and inspirational value that no teacher can afford to miss. In the April issue for instance there is an article, "Prayer and Young Children," that teachers of Beginner and Nursery age children will welcome because teachers of these groups need all the help they can get along the line of making prayer vital to little children. Mothers of small children also find this article helpful, and the good Sunday School teacher will pass it around to the mothers of children in her class. The suggestions for worship in the various departments are also of invaluable aid to the department leaders. Let not any Church fail to provide its teachers of children in the Nursery, Beginner, Primary, and Junior Groups with the Elementary Teacher Magazine. I shall gladly send a sample of this magazine to any person requesting it.

Mrs. D. B. Boddie of Pineville was recently elected District Director of Children's Division for the Alexandria District. Your Conference Director is exceedingly glad to have Mrs. Boddie accept this responsibility

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LOUISIANA CONFERENCE YOUNG PEOPLE

Shreveport Young People's Training Conference

What was it? The first Young People's Training Conference ever held in Louisiana.

Where? First Methodist Church, Shreveport, Louisiana.

Who sponsored it? The Shreveport City Union, of which Merlin McKinnon is President. The Union officers formed the Board of Managers for the Conference.

When was it? April 17-2, inclusive.

Who were its instructors? Three excellent faculty members: Mrs. R. E. Smith of Shreveport, who taught "Training Youth in Worship"; Miss Sadie Mai Wilson of Nashville, teaching "Missionary Education of Young People"; Rev. H. W. Williams of Nashville, whose course was "Program and Organization." All three classes were interesting, inspiring, and yet extremely practical, thus becoming very valuable to those who attended.

Who attended? Approximately seventy-five young people of the Methodist churches of Shreveport. Only forty-eight registered for credit, of whom twenty-four received this award for the thorough work done. Nevertheless, fine fellowship was enjoyed by a large group each night and the Conference was thought to be a success in almost every way.

Did they play any? Yes. Miss Gladys Brownfield of Shreveport led a very interesting play period. The amount of material at Miss Brownfield's command was exceptional, and the play time was enjoyed to the fullest extent.

Who else was there? Rev. A. K. McLellan of Alexandria was with the young people Sunday and Monday and helped to get a good start; Miss Grace Gatewood of First Church visited with the group and made a very "peppy" speech on "Christian Enthusiasm"; Miss Wilson also spoke two nights on "Christian Fellowship" and "News from China."

Every minute of the meeting was enjoyed so much that the group voted unanimously to have one of a similar type next year. Miss Anna Pharr Turner of Shreveport, our Conference Vice-President and Hi-League Counsellor, was Director of the Conference.

New Orleans Christian Culture Institute

April 24-28, the annual Christian Culture Institute for the New Orleans City Union—now the Young People's Union—was held at Rayne Memorial Church, and was a distinct success.

Instructors were: Mr. John Hoefflin, who taught Worship, substituting for Mrs. J. T. Harris, who had planned to teach the class; Miss Nettie Stroup of St. Mark's, Missions and World Friendship; Rev. D. B. Raulins, Citizenship and Community Welfare; Rev. J. B. Grambling of Mer Rouge, Recreation and Personal Development. All four classes were well attended.

Sixty-five credits were issued at the close of the banquet Thursday night. A much larger group was in attendance throughout the Institute, some of whom could not earn credits because of being forced to miss some classes.

Supper was served each evening at the Church, followed by two class periods, different types of programs being held in the intermission. The final thirty minutes of each evening was devoted to recreation led by Rev. Grambling, who was overflowing with fun and frolic during the entire week.

One evening during intermission Mrs. Moore, a returned missionary from the Belgian Congo spoke on the work in the African Mission. Another evening was devoted to a Model Worship program, led by Mr. Al Hanson. Another was a discussion of the new plan of organization, and of problems of individual Divisions, led by Rev. Grambling.

Your Publicity Superintendent had the privilege of attending this institute, and being in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Jas. T. Harris.

MARY SEARLES.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSEMBLIES PROGRAM COMPLETE

Copies Mailed to All Workers

Plans now should be made for attendance of Young People from every local church Young People's Division on the Assemblies at Mansfield during the month of June. The Young People with the Young Adult feature of their program will meet from June 7-13. Following these the Hi-Leaguers will meet June 14 - 20. Listed below are some of the instructors and courses for the assemblies.

Program and Organization

The Work of the Department Council, Rev. Walter Towner.

Organizing the Department, Elizabeth Langford.

Worship, Mrs. Guy M. Hicks.

Evangelism and Church Relations, Charles N. White.

Missions and World Friendship, Mrs. D. C. Warner.

Citizenship and Community Service, Rev. H. A. Rickey.

Recreation and Personal Development, Rev. J. B. Grambling.

Enrichment Courses

How to Enjoy the Bible, Rev. D. B. Raulins.

Christian Use of Leisure, Miss Julia Reid.

Prohibition, Rev. J. J. Rasmussen.

Christian Patriotism, Rev. G. W. Dameron.

General Missions, Rev. J. H. Bowdon.

Advance registrations are now being received by Miss Hazel Lee Nowell, Mansfield, La.

Pastors are urged to use material in this issue of the Bulletin to prepare programs for Observance of College Day, May 29.

OUTSTANDING EVENTS

Mount Sequoyah - Lake Junaluska Summer, 1932

1. The item in each school that has greatest possibilities for our Conference program will be the Seminar on the District Program of Christian Education, Mount Sequoyah, July 28-August 11; Lake Junaluska, August 16-30. We plan to approach a study of the Conference program from the district angle. This means that some of your presiding elders and district officers should be present.

2. At Mount Sequoyah, July 28-August 11, Dr. Kenyon L. Butterfield will teach "The Church and Rural Relations" and deliver several lectures. Dr. Butterfield needs no introduction to rural church workers as he is an internationally known lecturer and adviser on rural affairs. Undoubtedly a group of rural preachers and presiding elders will want to take his course.

3. Another outstanding feature at Lake Junaluska will be the courses "Christian Education for a New World Order," (July 28-August 11) and "Reconstruction in Christian Education," (August 16-30) by Dr. H. Shelton Smith, Duke University. Accredited instructors will profit greatly by enrollment in one or both of these.

4. The Conference for General Superintendents and Local Church Board Chairmen (Mount Sequoyah, July 23-25; Lake Junaluska, August 13-15) offers opportunity for attendance of laymen.

Mount Sequoyah

Fayetteville, Ark.—"The Ozarks"

First Term, July 14-26.

Superintendents' Conference, July 23-25; Second Term, July 28-August 11; Third Term, Young People's Leadership Conference, August 12-24.

Lake Junaluska

North Carolina

"The Blue Ridge Mountains"

First Term, Young People's Leadership Conference, July 14-26; Second Term, July 28-August 11.

Superintendents' Conference, August 13-15, Third Term, August 16-30.

CHILDREN'S DIVISION NEWS

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and is sure that she will render an effective and efficient service in this capacity.

How happy teachers of Primary children who use the group graded lessons should be because in this quarter's lsesons each child will have on one of his folders the song, "He is Near." Truly the minister who said that this should be classed as a children's hymn, rather than a children's song, was right. It is hoped that copies of this song will be pasted in the song scrap book for permanent use.

Every local church is urged to observe College Day, Sunday, May 29th.

.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTH OF MARCH, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 6.68	$ 5.66	$ 4.42	$ 92.13
Alco				
Bays Hills	.10	.20	.20	2.70
Bunkie				1.13
Boyce				8.12
Basile				
Colfax				6.06
Cheneyville	.04	.55	.25	4.78
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice				5.60
Fellowship				4.76
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				12.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				1.00
Marthaville	.18	.22	.60	4.65
Montgomery				3.32
Natchitoches				31.50
New Roads				
Oakdale				15.20
Oberlin				
Opelousas				8.55
Palmetto	.50	.50	1.00	5.00
Petreville				4.71
Pineville				20.00
Provencal				5.71
Pleasant Hill				11.60
Robeline				18.13
Rosedale				14.33
White's Chapel	.50	.35	.56	6.80
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite				18.50
Antioch				
Angie				2.12
Baton Rouge:				
First Church				109.88
Istrouma	.75	1.35	1.25	17.65
Keener Mem.		2.35		15.92
Baker				7.96
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa	2.50	1.38	3.50	37.83
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				2.00
Denham Springs				4.11
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Donaldsonville				12.68
Ethel				8.46
Friendship				
Franklinton				21.52
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond				22.80
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood	5.05	1.55	5.01	11.61
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				17.18
Ponchatoula	1.24	3.00	3.60	39.53
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				8.41
Springfield				1.40
St. Francisville				5.62
Slaughter	.69	1.11	.95	16.02
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				1.89
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				4.75
Zachary				18.69
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	1.54	.63	1.70	15.91
Bell City				.45
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				36.84
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier				4.55
Gueydan	.80	1.75	1.45	21.52
Hornbeck				4.39
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				2.00
Kaplan				3.01
Lafayette				21.67
Lake Arthur				3.47
Lake Charles				81.28
Leesville				8.84
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				21.78
Pine Grove				
Prospect				5.51
Rayne				
Sulphur	1.01	1.09	1.00	18.62
Vinton				29.05
Zwolle				16.66
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				2.77
Bethel				
Brushwood	.25	.50	.25	5.22
Benton				10.52
Campti				1.00
Castor				
Cotton Valley	2.00	2.00	2.11	27.95
Coushatta				14.99
Clayton				
Davis Springs				5.00
Doyline				
Eden				6.00
Ferriday				8.40
Good Pine				
Haughton				9.25
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				4.00
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden	6.30	8.85	4.64	40.17
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.80	1.10	1.91	15.99
Ringgold				13.10
Rochelle				10.63
Sicily Island				2.00

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Sibley				10.28
Springhill	1.39	1.80	2.75	12.99
Standard				18.33
Trout				5.50
Winnfield				21.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				5.82
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston				1.65
Columbia				8.47
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi	1.07	1.45	.65	11.65
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				14.92
Kilbourne				4.95
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				5.28
Lake Providence				8.64
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge	.69	.98	1.02	17.21
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	12.92	10.80	13.50	191.58
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove				5.17
Oak Ridge				17.17
Pioneer				2.45
Rayville				9.50
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	2.42	2.67	4.95	28.65
Union				3.78
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro				18.64
Wisner	.95	2.35	1.55	24.40
New Orleans District				
Bayou Blue				
Berwick				7.83
Covington				
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				
Houma		2.00		16.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	1.84	.79	1.00	13.83
New Orleans:				
Algiers	3.78	1.97	.75	28.44
Carrolton Ave.	10.32	7.51	28.87	182.79
Chalmette				5.87
Epworth	6.37	4.40	3.58	38.30
Felicity		3.64	1.50	22.55
First Church	9.85	4.48	5.11	96.84
Gentilly				8.35
Louisiana Ave.	.43	.40	.50	8.24
McDonoughville	3.00	1.20	2.35	20.97
Parker Mem.	5.52	2.65	2.35	53.47
Rayne Mem.	5.42	5.21	4.41	79.39
Second Church	1.60	1.56	2.58	30.45
St. Mark's	2.71	3.13	3.45	48.24
Patterson				4.44
Point au Chien				
Slidell				11.85
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				2.80
Athens				6.63
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				1.45
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				5.60
Claiborne				
Choudrant				1.50
Clay				2.00
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson	.50	1.00	.50	6.00
Dubach				1.89
Dykesville				
Downsville				4.00
Eros				
Farmerville				2.05
Gibsland				
Homer				57.58
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				3.25
Indian Village				
Jonesboro		3.15		7.50
Lisbon	.50	1.06	1.25	13.08
Longstraw				
Marion				13.29
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				1.20
Ruston				45.56
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				2.78
Shreveport District				
Belcher				18.56
Bossier City				
Bethany				10.00
Bethel				2.15
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				3.00
Grand Cane				13.10
Gilliam				14.21
Greenwood				3.22
Hosston				4.74
Ida				2.25
Keithville	.40	.75	.25	6.85
Logansport				14.64
Longstreet				6.84
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	2.68	1.07	6.32	43.45
Mooringsport				2.95
Mitchell				1.00
Nahorton				
Noble				1.38
Oil City				5.96
Pelican				5.62
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove				27.05
Claibourne				
First Church	11.66	10.35	25.25	235.36
Mangum Mem.				10.00
Noel Mem.	8.87	2.70	8.86	119.26
Park Ave.				15.00
Stonewall				10.60
Vivian				10.00

Help us to keep this list correct by sending your offering to Floyd B. James, Treas., and F. Harold Riggs, Treas. Young People's Conference, Box 742, Alexandria, before 10th of each month

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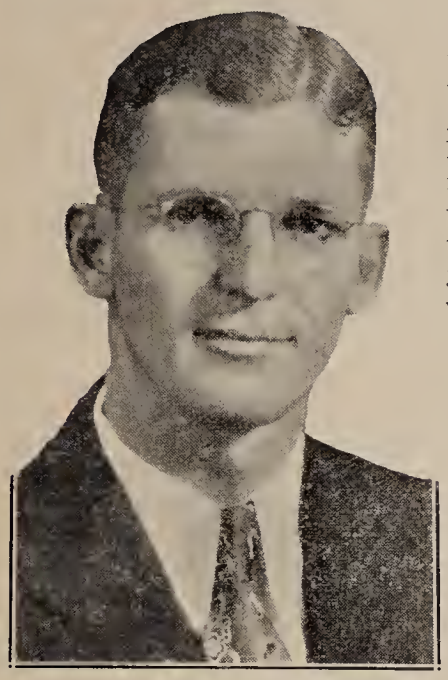

CHARLES N. WHITE
Retiring President

"A brotherly handshake to each of you for the very kind spirit you have shown toward our Conference Young People's Organization during the five years that I have had the honor of serving as its president. These years have brought blessings untold, deep spiritual experiences, contacts worth more than I can tell, and I have enjoyed very much serving in my humble way."

"Altogether, the world is full of happiness and it is our heritage to seek the beautiful. May the richness of the principles taught by Christ be foremost in our hearts."

ALTON PIERCE
President

SUCCESSFUL ASSEMBLIES AT MANSFIELD

Mary Searles

The month of June was featured by two of the finest assemblies, at Mansfield College, in the history of Louisiana Methodism's young people. At these two assemblies approximately three hundred young people, including their chaperones, instructors, and officers were reached.

Fourteenth Assembly

The fourteenth Young People's Assembly was held at historic Mansfield College, June 7-13, for young people of 16-23 years of age. The Young Adult Assembly was also held at this time, for older young people, both groups participating in everything together, with the exception of classes and business sessions, which were held separately.

Total Registration 176

The faculty: Rev. D. B. Raulins, of New Orleans; Rev. J. J. Rasmussen, of Trout; Rev. D. W. Dameron, of Jackson; Rev. J. H. Bowden, of Ponchatoula; Rev. Walter Towner, of Nashville, our Director of Young People's Division from Central Office; Miss Elizabeth Langford, of Monroe, Assembly Business Manager; Mrs. G. M. Hicks, of Mansfield; Mrs. D. C. Warner, of Monroe; Rev. Henry A. Rickey, of Monroe; Rev. J. B. Grambling, of Mer Rouge, who also led recreation. The Young Adult courses were taught by Dr. D. L. Mumpower, of Nashville, and Mrs. R. E. Smith, of Shreveport.

Miss Julia Reid, although she did not teach, contributed a great deal to the assembly, as well as did her friend, and ours, Sr. Moises Boudet of Cuba, who strengthened the feeling of world friendship. Miss Yuki Hinata, our little Japanese friend, also made a great contribution to the success of the program.

Vespers the Sweetest Services

Vespers, one of the sweetest services of each day at assembly, had the following leaders:

Tuesday—"All for Christ in Our Homes" —Miss Yuki Hinata.

Wednesday—"All for Christ in Our Work"—Miss Julia Reid. (Including a message in Spanish from Sr. Moises Boudot.)

Thursday—"All for Christ in Our Schools"—Alton Pierce.

Friday—"All for Christ in Other Lands" —Miss Julia Reid.

Saturday—"All for Christ in Our Play" —Rev. Carl Lueg.

Sunday—"Dare We Follow Jesus"—Miss Hazel Lea Nowell.

Platform Activities

Each night a different sort of activity took place. Dr. W. Angie Smith, of Shreveport, was the first platform speaker Tuesday night. Wednesday, Dean R. E. Smith of Shreveport spoke most forcefully on "Truth Versus Propaganda on the Prohibition Question." Thursday was the annual banquet, when Professors Wheeler, Quattlebaum and Carlson, and the Centenary girls' quartet, were honor guests and furnished splendid music. Friday was

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Lake Providence Has Young People's Revival July 10-17

Rev. H. B. Hines and his young people plan a Young People's Revival at Lake Providence for July 10-17. The pastor and the young people will be in charge of the services, but plans call for groups of young people workers from different places in the Conference to plan and carry out the services on the night they are present.

HARK YE! THE TREASURER SPEAKS—HEAR YE HIM—ALL!

As treasurer of the Young People's Conference for the year 1932-33 may I ask the hearty co-operation of all the local Young People's treasurers in reporting as phomptly as possible and also to urge the General Treasurer, in making his report for 4th Sunday offering, to designate in proper columns the division from which the money is paid.

Since the majority of our churches are now organized under our new program of work we are looking forward to a great year in Christian service.

Please make all remittances for Conference Promotion, Mission Special, Mt. Sequoyah, Anniversary Day and all correspondence with reference to same to Box 260, Alexandria, La.

WALLACE WHITE,
Treasurer Young People's Conference.

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SUCCESSFUL ASSEMBLIES HELD AT MANSFIELD

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stunt night, when King He's a Bug, impersonated by Rev. Grambling and his court, reigned supreme. Saturday night a pageant, "Hands Around the World," was presented by Mansfield young people.

Sunday Services Solemn—Impressive

Sunday was a day of worship and rest. On all other days of the week the morning watch was held in the auditorium of the college and led by Rev. Grambling. On Sunday this service was replaced by Sunrise Communion in the church, a solemn and impressive service. The young people attended in a body, as they did the preaching service at 11 o'clock, when Rev. Guy M. Hicks delivered the message. The consecration service was conducted by Rev. J. B. Grambling Sunday night, and the entire group clasped his hand as a silent testimony that they would go back and rebuild the walls of their spiritual cities.

Newly Elected Officers Installed

At the final meeting or "graduation," Monday morning, the newly elected officers were installed by Dr. Mumpower. They are:

President—Alton Pierce of Alexandria.

Vice-President—Miss Lillie Mae McQuaid of Baton Rouge.

Secretary—Miss Pearl Hattic of Shreveport.

Treasurer—Wallace White of Alexandria.

Publicity Superintendent—Miss Pauline Jordan, Natchitoches.

Field Secretary and Press Agent—Miss Mary Searles, Baton Rouge.

Dean Young People's Assembly—Rev. J. Henry Bowdon, Ponchatoula.

Dean Hi Assembly—Miss Anna Pharr Turner, Shreveport.

Business Manager of Assemblies—Miss Elizabeth Langford, Monroe.

At this time also 111 Christian Culture certificates of two credits each were issued, and 17 Standard Training Credits to Young Adults.

District secretaries are:

Alexandria—Chas. N. White, Box 260, Alexandria, La.

Baton Rouge—Collins Lipscomb, Hammond, La.

Lake Charles—Miss Marjorie Haggart, Vinton, La.

Minden—Miss Ethlee Neill, Jena, La.

Monroe—Miss Winnie Kline, Delhi, La.

New Orleans—Miss Iris McGarr, 717 Verret St., New Orleans.

Ruston—Miss Grace Jones, Downsville, La.

Shreveport—Miss Pauline Rodgers, 724 Wall St., Shreveport, La.

Hi Assembly

The fourth Hi Assembly was held at Mansfield June 14-20 with a total registration of 130, of the 12 to 15 age group. The program was much the same as the Young People's Assembly, with the addition of handicraft and dramatics classes in the afternoon. The faculty:

Rev. D. F. Anders of Zachary; Rev. Guy M. Hicks of Mansfield; Rev. I. W. Flowers of Belcher; Miss Ruth Lowery of Mansfield; Mr. Jas. V. Reid of Fort Worth, Texas, who also directed the singing and music throughout both assemblies; Mrs. R. P. Jackson of New Orleans; Miss Hazel Lea Nowell of Mansfield; Rev. Virgil D. Morris of New Orleans; Mrs. V. S. Garnett of Monroe; Mrs. Guy M. Hicks of Mansfield.

Vesper leaders: Miss Pearl Hattic, Miss Ward Ella Mayo, Miss Edith Cox, Billy Gannaway, Miss Anna Pharr Turner, Miss Lillie Mae McQuaid. The general theme was "Seeking the Kingdom of God in Our Every Day Lives," with each day a different phase of the theme—"In Our School," "In Our Home," "In Our Play," "With Our Friends," "In Our Vocations," "In Our Service." Morning watch was led by Miss Verna Webster of Pelican, one of our Scarritt students.

Nights Doings

The nights were featured by coronation of the queen, Minerva Petty, Tuesday; two one-act plays by Mansfield young people, Wednesday; a rainbow banquet, Thursday; stunt night, Friday; a Colonial party, Saturday, at which time the winning tribe was announced, whose princess will reign as next year's queen. The winning tribe was the Foulfeet, their princess Miss Sybil Peacock of Minden, and chieftain, Mr. Rufus Lindsey of Minden.

Consecration Service

Sunday's program was similar to that of the Young People's Assembly, with the consecration service conducted by Rev. Guy M. Hicks. Throughout it was a day of joy.

New Officers Installed

At graduation Monday two credits each were presented to almost a hundred young people, Christian Adventure credits. At this time also white cords were presented to nine outstanding young people, and purple threads to four of those who last year received the white cord. New officers installed were:

President,Edith Cox of Jonesboro.

Vice-President, Ellis Martin of Alexandria.

Secretary-Treasurer, Rufus Lindsey of Minden.

KIM GIVES NEWS OF SUMMER CONFERENCE FOR KOREAN YOUNG PEOPLE

Let Us Remember Him in Our Prayers

"The department of Education of the Korean Methodist Church is busy making plans for a great conference of young people again this summer—the Second Annual Religious Education Conference. We promise to do our best to make it of vital importance to the church at large, but we cannot make of it the success we desire unless each and every missionary lends his hearty sympathy and support. We call upon you for your cooperation first, in giving it publicity wherever you go in your churches and districts, and secondly, in assisting individual young people who wish to attend.

In announcing the conference, we would suggest that you call attention of the young people to the advantages they may receive both from ten days' fellowship with their brother Methodists from all parts of the country and from meeting and getting better acquainted with the pastoral and missionary groups. There is no chance like this for creating a spirit of mutual understanding between all these groups of the church. This season of spiritual and physical recreation offers a unique opportunity for cultivation in Christian living which we should all make the most of. With your cooperation the church cannot fail to receive a great blessing this year through the Conference.

The place: Onchungni, Diamond Mountains.

The time: July 2-August 8.

Yours for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom in Korea,

J. O. KIM,

Gen. Sec. of Department of Education."

We remind you that Kim and his work is supported by our Fourth Sunday offering given each month. **Let's dig deeper for Kim.**

CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH WEEK, 1932

Purpose

Childhood and Youth Week is a time for all adults to consider anew their responsibility to growing life in the home, in the church, and in the community. The importance of knowing and understanding children, of making adequate provision for them in the church and home, and of providing opportunity for adults to continue study which will lead to more worthy living with and for them, needs to be emphasized. An adequate observance in any local church can lead to a quickened interest in parent education, training work, individual reading and study, and, indirectly, to more abundant life for children.

Time

The third week in October or as near thereto as practicable is the time recommended by the General Board of Christian Education.

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EACH CHURCH SCHOOL URGED TO OBSERVE SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY

The returns from Sunday School Day have been most helpful in the promotion of our Christian Education program in our own Conference, but, there are more than 200 Sunday Schools from whom we are urgently expecting help in the carrying on of our Conference program of Christian Education. The Sunday School Day program can be made to bring your people face to face with the place of Christian Education in your community. When your offering has been sent to Mr. Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, your people are then entering a personal participation in the work done by your Conference Board of Christian Education in Louisiana.

Alexandria District

Alexandria	$ 36.72
Marthaville	2.90
Lecompte	3.70
Bunkie	2.50
	$ 45.82

Baton Rouge District

Tunica	$ 3.02
Istrouma	3.00
Springfield	2.07
Plaquemine	5.00
Bogalusa	10.00
Baton Rouge	35.02
Donaldsonville	1.80
Amite	11.33
Faithful	.85
Carpenter's Chapel	.90
Denham Springs	1.58
	$74.57

Lake Charles District

Abbeville	$ 16.00
Vinton	4.54
Sulphur	4.20
Lake Arthur	2.40
Lafayette	13.02
Gueydan	8.36
Crowley	10.00
New Iberia	5.21
Lake Charles	12.06
Hebron	1.00
	$ 76.79

Minden District

Ringgold	$ 3.75
Standard	2.60
Sicily Island	5.10
Bethel	4.00
Standard	6.24
Brushwood	4.40
Winnfield	6.00
	$ 32.09

Monroe District

Columbia	$ 10.44
Tallulah	7.90
Union	4.00
Little Creek	1.00
Monroe First Church	31.24
Wisner	3.70
Bastrop	5.15
	$ 63.43

New Orleans District

Chalmette	$ 4.25
St. Marks	25.18
Covington	2.00
Epworth	10.00
Carrollton Ave.	44.40
Louisiana Avenue	1.59
Parker Memorial	10.60
Gentilly	7.80
Patterson	3.52
St. Martinville	3.00
Algiers	13.30
McDonoughville	5.80
	$131.44

Ruston District

Wesley Chapel (Athens)	$ 5.00
Lisbon	6.30
Dubach	4.50
Gibsland	8.27
Ruston	46.25
Athens	4.60
Calhoun	3.35
	$78.27

Shreveport District

Mansfield	$ 15.80
Stonewall	2.00
Claiborne Avenue	2.00
Bossier City	5.75
Cedar Grove	5.00
Park Avenue	5.54
	$ 36.09

Grand Total $538.50

CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH WEEK

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Suggested Activities for the Local Church

The observance in the local church will consist of events such as are listed below. It is not thought that any one church would carry out all of these suggestions. Several are given in order that every church may do the things which most nearly meet its need or challenge its interest.

1. Appropriate sermon by pastor on October 16. Suggested subjects: "Are We (adults) an Asset to the Children of Our Homes, Church, and Community?" "A Bill of Rights for Children" (see Children's Charter); "Our Responsibility to Childhood and Youth"; "The Church and the Children."

2. Worship services in the Adult Division during October or at least on October 16.

3. Four-minute speeches at church services and other public meetings. Speakers should be carefully selected; schedules arranged, and some guidance given as to what shall be said.

4. A special meeting of adults with program consisting of one of the following:

a. The suggested program. (Available in pamphlet form.)

b. A play. (See suggestions in October Church School Magazine.)

c. A special program arranged by the local committee.

5. Child study discussion groups. (See special helps in October Elementary Teacher.)

6. Radio parties. (See current announcement of local or nearby stations.)

7. Display of books, pamphlets, and magazines. (See September Elementary Teacher.)

8. Co-operation of teachers in carrying out the plans and in securing the interest and attendance of parents, through visits, telephone calls, or other contact.

Sources of Material

1. Special explanatory article and suggestions to four-minute speakers. September Church School Magazine.

2. Pamphlet containing suggested program for adult meeting, by Elizabeth A. Jarratt. Free upon request to the Conference Board of Christian Education.

3. Play for adult meeting. See Suggestion in October Church School Magazine.

4. Guides for child study discussion groups. October Elementary Teacher; October-November-December Childhood Guidance in Christian Living.

5. Display page suitable for use as poster. September Church School Magazine.

6. Suggestions for display of books and pamphlets. September Elementary Teacher.

7. Worship services for the Adult Division. October Adult Student.

8. Articles, news items, editorials relating to Childhood and Youth Week in September and October numbers of all periodicals issued by the General Board of Christian Education.

Planning for the Observance in the Local Church

The pastor, the general superintendent, or any interested worker should call attention to the purposes and possibilities of Childhood and Youth Week. The Local Church Board of Christian Education should approve the plans and appoint a committee, or committees, to make arrangements for the observance in the local church. The following suggestions will be helpful to the committee in carrying out its responsibility:

1. Decide upon the week to be observed as Childhood and Youth Week.

2. Decide upon the events to be included in the observance.

3. Acquaint the whole church and community with the purposes and plans, through appropriate announcement at all meetings, wise use of posters, four-minute speakers, announcements in the church bulletins and local newspapers.

4. Collect materials.

5. Secure co-operation of teachers and parents.

6. Distribute responsibility for various phases of the undertaking. (Sub-committees may be needed.)

7. Plan for conserving results through ongoing child study or parent education events throughout the year.

8. Report the observance to the Local Church Board of Christian Education and to the Conference Board of Christian Education, Box 742, Alexandria.

LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTHS OF APRIL AND MAY, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 6.30	$ 6.47	$ 3.88	$122.63
Alco				
Bays Hills	.10	.20	.20	3.79
Bunkie				2.95
Boyce				10.75
Basile				
Colfax				11.63
Cheneyville				4.78
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.50	.50	.50	8.60
Fellowship				4.76
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				12.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				1.00
Marthaville	.35	.15	.50	3.00
Montgomery				3.32
Natchitoches				38.50
New Roads				
Oakdale				22.08
Oberlin				
Opelousas	.30	2.15	.50	14.35
Palmetto				6.00
Petreville	.10	.25	.35	6.11
Pineville				20.00
Provencal				5.71
Pleasant Hill	.60	.70	2.00	18.41
Robeline				25.09
Rosedale				21.38
White's Chapel	.56	.48	38	6.80
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite				18.50
Antioch				
Angie				2.12
Baton Rouge:				
First Church	10.45	5.10	10.67	160.81
Istrouma	.75	.90	1.25	24.00
Keener Mem.		2.14		23.20
Baker				7.96
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa	1.00	1.30	6.00	52.30
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs				7.94
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Ethel	.35	.35	.85	14.74
Friendship				
Franklinton	1.25	.86	1.15	29.25
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond	3.44	2.93	5.60	34.77
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				11.61
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine	1.13	.51	.75	26.09
Ponchatoula	1.76	4.30	9.00	54.59
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				11.23
Springfield				
St. Francisville				8.61
Slaughter	1.14	1.82	2.33	21.31
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				1.89
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				6.25
Zachary				18.69
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	.88	2.05	1.17	24.62
Bell City				.45
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				36.84
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier	.20	.19	.25	6.83
Gueydan	.87	.40	.85	27.64
Hornbeck				9.13
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				2.00
Kaplan				4.26
Lafayette	1.88	1.47	1.71	10.61
Lake Arthur				3.47
Lake Charles	7.13	4.89	6.31	118.98
Leesville				
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				31.90
Pine Grove				
Prospect				7.74
Rayne				
Sulphur	.79	.89	1.40	25.38
Vinton				38.11
Zwolle				16.66
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				3.90
Bethel				
Brushwood	.25	.25	.50	7.22
Benton				12.47
Campti				1.00
Castor				
Cotton Valley	2.00	2.00	2.00	39.31
Coushatta				20.84
Clayton				
Davis Springs				5.00
Doyline				
Eden				6.00
Ferriday				12.18
Good Pine				
Haughton				9.25
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				4.00
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden				40.17
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.67	1.00	2.03	3.70
Ringgold				23 58
Rochelle				10.63
Sicily Island				4.00

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

Sibley				14.24
Springhill	1.23	1.12	1.95	22.51
Standard	.50	.50	.50	21.53
Trout				
Winnfield				27.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				5.82
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston				1.65
Columbia				37.08
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi	1.06	.60	.45	16.26
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				19.92
Kilbourne				6.28
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				5.28
Lake Providence				8.64
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge	.84	.55	1.35	22.67
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	13.87	10.49	12.43	272.37
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove				9.11
Oak Ridge		1.90		19.07
Pioneer				2.45
Rayville				9.50
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	2.27	1.85	3.25	43.86
Union				4.48
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro				18.64
Wisner	.66	1.00	1.90	32.63
Bayou Blue				
New Orleans District				
Berwick				3.64
Covington				1.00
Donaldsonville				17.93
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				1.33
Houma		2.00		20.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	2.02	.40	.50	20.38
New Orleans:				
Algiers	2.87	2.40	.65	42.51
Chalmette				5.87
Carrolton Ave.	6.90	5.50	12.35	237.46
Epworth	2.55	1.10	2.10	52.40
Felicity	1.50	2.50	1.65	36.21
First Church	9.06	4.04	5.16	133.76
Gentilly				16.09
Louisiana Ave.	.30	.52	.43	10.79
McDonoughville				20.79
Parker Mem.	4.54	2.50	2.05	72.76
Rayne Mem.				111.35
Second Church	1.04	2.20	2.00	40.61
St. Mark's	2.08	2.81	5.78	69.24
Patterson				7.96
Point au Chien				4.44
Slidell				15.75
St. Martinville				11.85
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				2.80
Athens				9.67
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				2.54
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				5.60
Claiborne				
Choudrant				1.50
Clay				2.00
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				8.00
Dubach				6.10
Dykesville				
Downsville				4.00
Eros				
Farmerville				2.05
Gibsland				
Homer				57.58
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				6.55
Indian Village				
Jonesboro		3.15		7.50
Lisbon				18.60
Longstraw				
Marion				25.11
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				1.20
Ruston				45.56
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				3.18
Shreveport District				
Belcher	.25	.73	2.54	25.58
Bossier City				
Bethany				10.00
Bethel				2.65
Benson				
Flournoy	.42	.41	.75	1.05
Converse				3.00
Grand Cane				16.10
Gilliam	.84	1.00		17.71
Greenwood				3.22
Hosston				4.74
Ida				2.25
Keithville	.35	.75	.40	9.60
Logansport				16.64
Longstreet				9.48
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	1.89	1.25	3.61	57.50
Mooringsport				2.95
Mitchell				1.00
Naborton				
Noble				1.38
Oil City				5.96
Pelican				7.95
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove				38.52
Claibourne				2.00
First Church	12.40	10.30	31.55	341.26
Mangum Mem.				10.00
Noel Mem.	9.45	11.08	5.35	187.79
Park Ave.				19.00
Stonewall		.82		14.80
Vivian				15.00

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Childhood and Youth Week

Mrs. R. R. Branton

Each fall our Church School periodicals contain many articles relative to the observance of Childhood and Youth Week, some radio stations give time to broadcasting the observance, and many of our Churches observe the week with profit. Too often it is the case, however, that our local Church leaders say among themselves that this is just another one of those special days, or weeks, that "they" are always wanting us to have and that does not fit into our program. On the other hand Churches who have observed the week for many years are consistent in stating that it is an occasion that they look forward to from year to year as an opportunity for taking inventory of the work being done in their Churches for the sake of the Christian development of their childhood and youth and a time for making plans for more effective work in the future.

The purpose of Childhood and Youth Week as stated by the General Board of Christian Education is: "Childhood and Youth Week is a time for all adults to consider anew their responsibility to growing life in the home, in the church, and in the community. The importance of knowing and understanding children, of making adequate provision for them in the Church and home, and of providing for adults to continue a study which will lead to more worthy living with and for them, needs to be emphasized. An adequate observance in any local Church can lead to a quickened interest in parent education, training work, individual reading and study, and, indirectly, to more abundant life for children.

The third week in October or as near thereto as practicable is the time recommended for the observance. Some of the activities that have been carried out in some of our Churches in the past are: appropriate sermon by the pastor, four minute speeches at church services and other public meetings, a special meeting of adults with suitable program, Child Study groups, visitation of homes, and display and circulation of books, pamphlets and magazines. Of course it would not be possible in every Church to carry out all activities suggested, but it could be agreed upon as to what activities would best suit the needs of the Church and then all efforts made to those ends.

There is available a sufficient amount of materials to make the observance possible without cost to any Church desiring it. Use should be made of articles in the various periodicals, and there may be ordered from

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CHOOSING THE HOME COLLEGE

Robert R. Ewerz,
Department of Education,
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This coming academic year should be a banner one for the so-called "home college." By a home college, I mean that institution whose enrollment is drawn largely from its immediate vicinity.

Many boys and girls this year will be forced to answer the question, "Shall I postpone for a year or two entering a distant college, or begin this fall in a college close at home?" And many will come to the conclusion that the "home college" offers advantages they never expected because they had not previously been interested in seeking them out. The old adage, "distant fields are greener" has lost much of its potency, in this regard, if there ever was much truth in it.

It cannot be denied that it costs less to attend a college in one's immediate vicinity. Board and room expense for those going away to college, always a major item in the year's cost, is entirely eliminated by living at home. Expenditures incident to travel and for incidentals away from home usually amount to more than parents or their children ever suspect in their initial calculations. Where home colleges are private institutions with tuition fees considerably more than those in state institutions, the total cost for the year is much less in the home college.

During recent years, parents are giving more thought to the selection of a college for their children. Formerly parents were prone to allow them to select the place in which to continue their education, and too often the children made a chioce based upon very superficial considerations. Not infrequently boys and girls have informed me that they had selected a college because some one they knew had attended it the year previous, or they "heard" a certain kind of work could be obtained there, or because they just wanted to "go away" to some distant school.

But with the parents now taking an active interest in the choosing of a college for their boy or girl, some of the real advantages of the "home college" are being discussed about the family council table.

Another truth is dawning upon parents with children ready for college. Experiences of friends who have sent their boys and girls away to college have convinced many thinking parents of the fact that continuance of close home ties at period of their

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SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY IN LOCAL CHURCH

Success of Conference Program Dependent On Proper Observance

A proper observance of Sunday School Day sets before the whole Church the great educational task of the Local Church in the community and the vital and indispensable part the Church school has in reaching the children, young people, and adults in the city, town, country and neglected places with the gospel message, teaching the Christ way of living.

If only we could catch your sympathy and lead you to feel how much we are dependent upon your observance of SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY and your prompt remittance of the offering to Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, you could not fail to make this a great occasion for Christian Education in your Church, and allow them to express their interest and help through the offering.

We are confidently expecting an offering from every school in our Conference for 1932.

SPECIAL!!!

On account of school duties Alton Pierce resigned September 4, as President of the Louisiana Young Peoples' Conference. Mrs. G. W. Pomeroy, Oakdale, Louisiana, succeeds to the office. Miss Hazel Lea Newell, Mansfield, Louisiana, was elected Vice-President.

REGARDING THE MISSIONARY PLEDGE

(With apologies to "A Psalm of Life")

Tell me not, O Sunday School Worker,
That our pledge is falling short,
For our members are not shirkers
And they're not the "quitting" sort.

Helping others is our mission,
Whether at home or foreign land;
We must share if we are Christian,
For sharing is our Lord's command.

"Go ye," said our Lord and Master,
"Teach and preach the Gospel truths."
So with Fourth Sunday Offering
We are endeavoring to spread the news.

Records of our Conference show us
That Monroe First Church leads the state,
Let us keep this fact before us—
Paying up before too late.

Every class has pledged to Missions,
Three (3) more months we have to go;
Making pledges and not paying
Was not spoken of Monroe.

Let us then be up and doing,
With resolve to overpay—
Still remembering, still reminding
That next Sunday's Missionary Day.

—Written by Mrs. D. C. Warner.

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DEVELOPING A PROGRAM OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN THE LOCAL CHURCHES OF CHINA

By J. Q. Schisler

Upon his return from his first visit to China, Bishop Paul B. Kern said that the most pressing need in that great country is a prgoram of Christian education in the local churches similar to that which has been in operation in our own denomination for a number of years. According to Bishop Kern, this program should include work with children, young people, adults, training work, young people's conferences, assemblies, and other elements of the program in operation at home.

The General Board of Christian Education and the Board of Missions, recognizing the strategic importance of such a program in all our mission fields, elected Rev. Hiram K. King as Joint Secretary of Christian Education in the Foreign Fields. Brother King has been at work with Bishop Kern in China this year.

An indication of the progress that is being made is contained in a brief message from Bishop Kern, as follows: "The work is getting started marvelously. We had our first District Training School in Huchow last week, awarded 177 certificates to 145 different people. Another school is on this week in Changchow with 135 enrolled. I believe we will award nearly 1,000 training certificates this year. I believe with considerable confidence that this movment is the most significant step we have made toward the evangelization of China in the last ten years."

The Sunday school and young people's work on the foreign fields is being supported by the fourth Sunday's offering to missions from the Sunday schools of our Church and from payments of mission pledges by the young people's divisions. This great special for the local church schools during this quadrennium is known as the Home and Foreign Missionary Enterprise.

CHOOSING THE HOME COLLEGE

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adolescence is of great importance. This is a time in the life of boys or girls that the faculty of judgment is very unreliable. New environments very often play havoc with the lives of boys and girls who have had the advantages of good home training. The sympathetic care and concern of the mother together with the association and advice of a companionable father are the great anchors to the windward for the boys and girls just out of high school. There is time enough for the young man or young woman to go away from home; and when they do go, it is quite often the means of permanently breaking up of the home ties, for other interests challenge and vocational opportunities lie in other directions.

A potent argument for the "home college" was advanced to me by a certified public accountant of this city sometime ago. He said, "I would rather have my boy attend the local college than to go to Harvard or Princeton. His explanation was that he wanted the boy to attend an institution among those students who would be the future associates and friends of the young man. He believed the boy would remain in Louisiana and in all probability in that section in which he was now living, and he thought that the associations formed in the home college would prove far more valuable than those in a distant institution.

Parents, too, realize that they can keep in closer touch with the progress of their children when they are in a "home college." There is no expense involved in visiting the college, should this be necessary, and, besides, they have an opportunity to meet and know personally those who have the responsibility of instructing their boys and girls. This personal relationship sometimes gives parents an assurance that any problems of the student will receive a personal and sympathetic consideration. It is also true that home colleges often have a smaller student body than distant schools, which permits of smaller classes under mature and experienced teachers.

CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH WEEK

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our Conference Board office in Alexandria, pamphlets setting forth purposes and plans as well as a pamphlet containing a suggested program for the adult meeting.

Your Conference Director of Children's work earnestly desires that every pastor, superintendent, and leader in the work for childhood and youth in the Churches of our Conference make a prayerful effort to observe Childhood and Youth Week, not for the sake of the report that may be made, but for the sake of the boys and girls who are growing up in our communities and for whom we are responsible.

Two new pamphlets which Nursery Department workers will welcome are called "The Gift of Peace," and the "Nursery Group on Sunday Morning." In these pamphlets the worker with or parent of children under four years of age will find splendid suggestions as to how to make life more abundant for their boys and girls. They may be secured from the Conference office for the price of five rents each.

COKESBURY TRAINING TEXTS FOR USE IN TRAINING SCHOOLS AVAILABLE

Also Local Training Classes

It is the hope of the Conference Board of Christian Education that a Local Training Class be conducted in every local Church within the Conference. Some of the text-books available, with the price of each, are given, with a description of the contents ef the text, in order that our workers may be interested in using them as texts for local Training Classes, and also for personal reading.

Miss Lucy Foreman, Director of the Coksebury Training Work with our General Board of Christian Education, says Dr. Owenby's book is one that might be read with the greatest of advantage by the workers in any Church.

The Educational Work of the Small Church—J. Q. Schisler (Price 35c)

This book is prepared by one who thoroughly understands, from years of experience, the work of the small church. The book gives a fine understanding of what the Board of Christian Education is and of how it functions. Every worker in the small church needs it.

What Is Teaching?—Frances C. McLester (Price 35c)

More and more there is an understanding that every person is teaching. This book is not only helpful to those who call themselves teachers in the Church schools, but to every worker, to parents, and to all yeung people and adults who are interested in helping others grow into more Christ-like living.

The Christian's Religion: Its Meaning and Mission—R. L. Owenby (Price 50c)

This book is a splendid interpretation of what it means to live the Christian life. One can scarcely read it without having his own faith strengthened and without finding that he is developing in the Christian way of living.

(Each of these books is a text in the Cokesbury Training Course. Examinations may be secured from the conference offices and Cokesbury credits issued for satisfactory work done.)

All books should be ordered from Whitmore &Smith.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FALL TRAINING SCHOOLS

Shreveport, October 2.
New Orleans, October 9.
Alexandria, October 16.
Ruston, October 16
Lake Charles, October 23.
Haynesville-Homer, October 30.

1932 SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY 1932

Alexandria District

Alexandria	$ 36.72
Marthaville	2.90
Lecompte	3.70
Bunkie	2.50
Melder	1.00
	$ 46.82

Baton Rouge District

Tunica	$ 3.02
Istrouma	3.00
Springfield	2.07
Plaquemine	5.00
Bogalusa	10.00
Baton Rouge	35.02
Amite	11.33
Faithful	.85
Carpenter's Chapel	.90
Denham Springs	1.58
	$ 72.77

Lake Charles District

Abbeville	$ 16.00
Vinton	4.54
Sulphur	4.20
Lake Arthur	2.40
Lafayette	13.02
Gueydan	8.36
Crowley	10.00
New Iberia	5.21
Lake Charles	12.06
Hebron	1.00
	$ 76.79

Minden District

Ringgold	$ 3.75
Sicily Island	5.10
Bethel	4.00
Standard	8.84
Brushwood	4.40
Winnfield	6.00
Davis Springs	2.95
	$ 35.04

Monroe District

Columbia	$ 10.44
Tallulah	7.90
Union	4.00
Little Creek	1.00
Monroe First Church	31.24
Wisner	3.70
Bastrop	5.15
	$ 63.43

New Orleans District

Chalmette	$ 4.25
St. Marks	25.18
Covington	2.00
Epworth	10.00
Carrollton Ave.	44.40
Louisiana Avenue	1.59
Parker Memorial	10.60
Gentilly	7.80
Patterson	3.52
St. Martinville	3.00
Algiers	13.30
McDonoughville	5.80
Donaldsonville	1.80
Second Church	6.29
Rayne Memorial	49.74
Morgan City	2.52
	$191.79

Ruston District

Wesley Chapel (Athens)	$ 5.00
Lisbon	6.30
Dubach	4.50
Gibsland	8.27
Ruston	46.25
Athens	4.60
Calhoun	3.35
Jonesboro	4.01
Harmony Chapel	2.00
Arcadia	9.80
	$ 94.08

Shreveport District

Mansfield	$ 15.80
Stonewall	2.00
Claiborne Avenue	2.00
Bossier City	5.75
Cedar Grove	5.00
Park Avenue	5.54
Belcher	3.36
Gilliam	4.00
Hosston	3.30
Noel Memorial	20.00
	$ 66.75
Grand Total	$647.47

YOUNG PEOPLE'S DIVISION

Camps

The fourth successive Camp was held this summer, July 12-16, at Bluff Creek, in Baton Rouge District. This camp was a distinct success from the standpoint of interest and that of credits, as well as the fine spirit which prevailed throughout. Fifty-two Christian Culture credits were given. Miss Lillie Mae McQuaid was Dean, with Rev. J. Henry Bowdon as Business Manager. Twelve churches were represented, with a total attendance of nearly seventy.

A week-end Camp was held at beautiful Camp Caddo in Shreveport District, under the direction of Miss Pauline Rodgers, District Secretary, July 15, 16 and 17. This camp was sponsored by the North Caddo Union, the first time this union had ever attempted anything of the kind, or even taken part. Seventy-three enrolled, with about twenty visitors from time to time. The young people seemed to profit greatly by the camp, and plan to make this a regular feature of their union work.

The Lake Arthur Christian Adventure Camp was held at lovely Lake Arthur, in Lake Charles District, August 1-6, for the 12-15 age group. This group had never had a camp all their own before, and so enjoyed it thoroughly. Thirty-two Christian Adventure credits were given at the close. Miss Julia Reid was Dean, with Miss Merle Whitman as Business Manager.

The Lake Arthur Christian Culture Camp for the 16-23 age group was held August 8-13, with Miss Marjorie Haggart, District Secretary, as Dean, and Miss Elsie Whitman Business Manager. Fifty Christian Culture credits were issued, and fourteen young people volunteered for Life Service at the closing consecration service which was conducted by Mr. James V. Reid of Fort Worth, Texas.

A splendid faculty led the class groups at each of these camps; Vesper services were inspirational and helpful as led by the young people themselves. The pastors and other leaders who gave their time and services contributed invaluably to the success of each camp. Over two hundred young people were thus reached through these four camps.

A week-end institute is being held at Harmon, in Shreveport District, August 26, 27, 28, under the leadership of Miss Pauline Rodgers. This will be a Christian Culture Institute, and the work of the three standing committees will be taught.

A very successful young people's revival was held at Lake Providence in July, under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. H. B. Hines, and Jack Shell. The Young People responded most enthusiastically.

A Young People's Revival was held at Minden, August 8-15, with far-reaching results. The closing night was characterized by an impressive candle service, led by Rev. Henry Rickey and Miss Elizabeth Langford of Monroe. A very tangible result is seen in the twenty-eight additions to the church. Miss Thera Stovall is directing the Young People's work at Minden this summer.

An all-day Rally was held at Mer Rouge for Monroe District Young People Sunday, July 31st, with a total attendance of two hundred. Nine churches were represented, and a splendidly planned program of instruction, inspiration, fellowship and worship was followed.

A most effective vesper service was held by the Shreveport City Union, on Cross Lake Sunday evening, August 21. Miss Pearl Hattic led, using the theme, "The Master Serving." The leader, with Mr. Merlin McKinnon, the song leader, stood in a boat at the waters' edge, facing the group of young people.

I consider it a privilege and yet a grave responsibility to follow in the footsteps of Elizabeth Langford as Secretary of Young People's Work. My prayer is that I may serve in some small degree as well and as faithfully as she has done. Our task is a momentous one, yet, we, the young people of Louisiana Methodism, "can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth us."

Yours for a great year in His service,
MARY SEARLES.

ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT WORKERS IN KOREA

"Our General Secretary, Rev. J. O. Kim, is not sparing himself in working out plans and helps for the better conduct of the work of the Department. He is getting the work shaped up and is planning to enter upon a carefully worked out schedule. His work is heavy, the demands upon him numerous and I trust he will have the heartiest sympathy and co-operation of the entire Church and the Missionary body. He needs our help and our prayers."

.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTHS OF JUNE AND JULY, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 4.08	$ 3.99	$ 2.25	$146.52
Alco				
Bays Hills				3.70
Bunkie				2.95
Boyce				16.10
Basile				
Colfax				11.63
Cheneyville				4.78
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.40	.45	.40	11.04
Fellowship				4.76
Glenmora				
Hopewell				.75
Lecompte				12.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				1.00
Marthaville	.23	.35	.35	5.47
Montgomery				3.32
Natchitoches				44.50
New Roads				
Oakdale				30.18
Oberlin				
Opelousas	.40	1.50	.25	16.50
Palmetto				8.00
Petreville	.25	.40	.48	8.16
Pineville				20.00
Provencal				5.71
Pleasant Hill	.54	.84	1.55	24.74
Robeline				28.26
Rosedale				25.94
White's Chapel				6.80
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite				32.76
Antioch				
Angie				2.12
Baton Rouge:				
First Church	7.00	4.61	8.52	204.86
Istrouma	.75	1.70	1.25	29.70
Keener Mem.		4.98		28.18
Baker				7.96
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				68.61
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs				11.25
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Ethel	.50	.50	.80	17.84
Friendship				
Franklinton	1.76	1.69	1.10	37.19
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond				40.34
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				11.61
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine	.80	1.00	.80	31.01
Ponchatoula	1.75	1.35	3.01	60.70
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				14.49
Springfield				
St. Francisville	1.07	1.75	1.28	12.71
Slaughter	.27	.80	1.34	26.54
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				2.39
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				6.25
Zachary				18.69
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	.62	1.98	.87	33.38
Bell City	.25	.25	.50	1.45
Church Point				
Crowley				5.58
DeRidder				36.84
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier				9.35
Gueydan				27.64
Hornbeck				12.65
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				3.50
Kaplan				4.26
Lafayette	1.69	1.18	1.20	19.85
Lake Arthur				7.23
Lake Charles	6.70	6.30	6.66	156.93
Leesville				
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				31.90
Pine Grove				
Prospect				8.56
Rayne				3.00
Sulphur	1.23	.94	1.30	31.76
Vinton				46.03
Zwolle				16.66
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				3.90
Bethel				
Brushwood				7.22
Benton				15.61
Campti				1.00
Castor				
Cotton Valley	1.41	1.50	1.50	47.93
Coushatta	.91	1.81	2.16	30.19
Clayton				
Davis Springs				5.00
Doyline				
Eden				6.00
Ferriday				13.99
Good Pine				
Haughton				9.25
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				4.00
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden		1.44		67.89
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.79	1.54	1.65	11.38
Ringgold				25.58
Rochelle				18.73
Sicily Island				8.00

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

Sibley				16.87
Springhill	.83	.40	1.00	27.12
Standard				21.33
Trout				
Winnfield				37.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				5.82
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston				1.65
Columbia				37.08
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi				16.26
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				19.92
Kilbourne				6.28
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				7.71
Lake Providence		1.27		18.05
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge	.58	.85	.65	27.33
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	11.33	6.83	12.91	336.26
Mangham				3.42
Oak Grove				13.06
Oak Ridge		.85		23.42
Pioneer				2.45
Rayville				9.50
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	1.22	1.89	2.57	56.23
Union				6.23
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro				18.64
Wisner	1.00	2.15	.80	39.46
Bayou Blue				
New Orleans District				
Berwick				3.64
Covington				4.00
Donaldsonville				22.85
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				1.33
Houma				24.05
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	.22	.87	1.75	26.33
New Orleans:				
Algiers	1.80	1.70	.95	53.41
Chalmette				5.87
Carrolton Ave.				282.02
Epworth	1.98	1.80	1.72	64.35
Felicity		1.75	1.28	39.24
First Church	7.20	1.65	5.15	164.32
Gentilly				16.09
Louisiana Ave.	.30	.32	.50	13.03
McDonoughville	1.98	1.05	2.27	31.34
Parker Mem.				80.84
Rayne Mem.				111.35
Second Church				50.11
St. Mark's	2.46	2.36	3.18	84.61
Patterson				7.96
Point au Chien				4.44
Slidell				16.90
St. Martinville				11.85
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				2.80
Athens				10.97
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				3.18
Bethel				
Bernice				5.35
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				10.80
Claiborne				
Choudrant				1.50
Clay				2.00
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				8.00
Dubach				7.88
Dykesville				
Downsville				4.55
Eros				
Farmerville				2.05
Gibsland				
Homer				93.40
Haynesville				
Hilly				
Harmony				8.75
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				8.75
Lisbon				18.60
Longstraw				
Marion				28.13
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				1.20
Ruston				45.56
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				.55
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				4.41
Shreveport District				
Belcher	.49	.53	2.15	32.81
Bossier City				
Bethany				10.00
Bethel				3.17
Benson				
Flournoy				1.05
Converse				3.00
Grand Cane				16.10
Gilliam	.70	1.00		20.81
Greenwood				3.22
Hosston				4.74
Ida				2.25
Keithville	.40	.75	.30	12.65
Logansport				20.64
Longstreet				12.38
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	2.59	1.30	3.36	72.89
Mooringsport				2.95
Mitchell				2.44
Naborton				
Noble				1.38
Oil City				10.96
Pelican				10.90
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove				45.3
Claibourne				2.00
First Church	11.15	5.65	19.17	422.57
Mangum Mem.				10.00
Noel Mem.	2.94	15.67	9.68	231.65
Park Ave.				22.00
Stonewall				14.80
Vivian				20.00

Help us to keep this list correct by sending your offering to Floyd B. James, Treas., Box 742, and Wallace White, Treas. Young People's Conference, Box 260, Alexandria, before 10th of each month.

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..:CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:..

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Children's Division Notes

By Mrs. R. R. Branton

A number of Vacation Church Schools have been held in the Conference this year. We have heard of more being held than we have been able to secure reports from, but we are listing below only those that have reported. Any Church that had such a school last summer and fails to find its name listed below should report to the Conference Director at once in order that her records may be made complete. Schools reported are:

Crowley, Arcadia, Minden, Alexandria First Church, Monroe First Church, Tallulah, Winnsboro, Newellton.

During the month of October one week should be set aside on the Church Calendar for the observance of Childhood and Youth Week. Quite a number of our Churches have made plans for this observance and it is not yet too late to have an observance that will be worthwhile. Write Miss Nannie White, Box 742, Alexandria, for materials and suggestions as to how to make this observance count for much in your Church.

Has your Church bought a book for its Children's workers recently? If not, by all means order at once the book, "Children's Work in the Church," by Mary Skinner. This is a book that every teacher of children in Southern Methodism would do well to read. It is written by the director of the child-

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RUSTON PLANS OBSERVANCE OF CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH WEEK

Miss Leola Rodgers, the efficient chairman of the Childhood and Youth Week Committee, has held a splendid meeting of the committee and worked out a number of interesting plans for the observance of this important week. The date will be October 21-26. Merchants of Ruston will be asked to decorate their show windows with things of interest and value to children and youth, including our posters. A poster campaign is under way, and you are asked to make posters for the week. There may be a young people's supper. The pastor will preach a special sermon, October 23. Sunday school teachers will visit the homes of their pupils. Finally, a mass meeting of parents, adults and teachers will be held Wednesday, October 26, with a worth while program of worship and other materials. Dr. Gustaf Freden, of Louisiana Tech, will be the guest speaker.

YOUNG PEOPLE ELECT OFFICERS IN OCTOBER

Officers within the entire Young People's Division, including the Intermediate or Hi-Department, Senior and Young People's Departments are to be elected in October. This applies to both the local church and unions.

Election Follows Promotion Day

Immediately following Promotion Day, September 25, the president, in consultation with the counselor, should appoint the nominating committee. Among those on the committee should be at least one of the new members promoted into the department. The election should be held as soon as possible and the officers installed along with the other officers and teachers at a church hour to be arranged by the pastor. For information about the election, see Article VII of the Constitution and By-Laws, page 37 "Program and Or-

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MONROE MAKES PLANS FOR OBSERVANCE CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH WEEK

Local Church Board Outlines Plans

At the meeting of the local Church Board of Christian Education of First Church, September 12, 1932, the following plans for Childhood and Youth Week were adopted:

1. We will observe Childhood and Youth Week during the second week in October, so we may have the use of the radio during that week.

2. There shall be a sermon by the pastor on the morning of October 9 on a theme suitable to the week, with installation of officers and teachers of the Sunday school and departments at the close.

3. Worship services in the adult classes on the theme of the week.

4. A radio program each morning over Station KMLB, from 7:45 to 8:00 o'clock.

5. Special Church Night service Wednesday night, October 12, with display of books and materials, on Child Study and their Religious and Moral Training. Parents are to meet there with the workers of the church.

6. Home visitation campaigns throughout the church, especially in the Children's division. The formation of a Mothers' club for primaries.

We think these items will help focus the interest of the parents on the religious education of their children, and thus secure better cooperation with the work of the Sunday school with them.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY--- THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

These difficult times through which we are passing have placed the Conference Board of Christian Education in trying circumstances, whereby it is barely able to maintain the work for which it is responsible. Unusual efforts must be made to maintain the services of our Conference Board and the Conference program of Conference Education, so vital to the local churches in their task of Christian Education.

In the press of our great need we are appealing to all churches who have not observed Sunday School Day to do so by November 15, sending the offering to Mr. Floyd B. James, Box 742, Alexandria, La.

We are sure it will be of interest to you to know that 87 of our 300 Sunday schools have observed Sunday School Day and expressed their interest in, and loyalty to, the work of the Conference Board with their offering. If every Sunday school in the conference would observe the day, even though the offering be small, it would give inspiration and impetus, as our people become more aware of the teaching ministry of the Church, and allow them to express their interest and help through the offering.

RADIO SCHEDULE FOR CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH WEEK

Use your dial in finding these broadcasts:

Station KMLB, Monroe, La. Each morning week of October 9, 7:45-8:00 o'clock.

Station WSM, Nashville, Tenn. Monday, October 17, 6:30-6:45 p. m.

Wednesday, October 19, 5:45-6:00 p. m .

Friday, October 21, 6:30-6:45 p. m.

MINDEN HAS PROMOTION DAY PROGRAM

Officers Installed

Dr. A. S. Lutz, our pastor at Minden, writes that Promotion Day was observed Sunday, September 25. An excellent pageant on "THE QUEST FOR TRUTH" was given and all officers for the year were installed. The problem in the great Church school is the need for more space to adequately care for its rapid growth.

For the week beginning September 26 the pastor is leading in a "Week of Prayer and Self Denial." Two candidates have offered themselves for license to preach.

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CHILDREN'S DIVISION NOTES

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ren's division for the General Board of Education, who writes as she speaks—with an enthusiasm, and passion that every boy and girl for whom we are responsible shall have an opportunity to know God and to discover ways of serving Him. Pastors and Church School superintendents would profit by reading this book also. The price is only sixty-five cents and it may be ordered of course from our publishing house.

Ever and anon a letter comes telling of plans and progress in our local Churches that makes the heart of the Conference D-irector of Children's Work glad. Such a letter came recently from the Minden Church. In part it was as follows: "In the Nursery Department, we have surveyed the whole town, obtaining new names and visiting those already enrolled. A new rug has been bought, an electric fan put up and a supply box obtained, painted, and a lock put on it. Pictures have been hung and the room looks like a different place. A mother has consented to visit all the homes, send birthday cards and call on new members.

"The superintendent of the primary department has read several recommended books and several of her teachers have done the same.

"The Junior department has secured two new pictures.

"We are now in the midst of plans for a Parent's study club."

Such progress should challenge all of our Churches to survey their own needs and to move forward along the most needed lines.

CHOUDRANT METHODIST MEN ORGANIZE BIBLE CLASS

The men of the Choudrant Methodist church met Sunday afternoon with their pastor, Rev. R. V. Fulton, and organized a men's Bible class. The following officers were elected: T. C. Pipes, President; H. L. Ford, Vice Pres.; W. G. Kelly, Sec.-Treas.; C. L. Madden, Teacher. The class will be called "The Pathfinders." Mr. Madden is principal of the local high school and we are sure he is a capable teacher

LAKE CHARLES CHURCH HONORS A. M. MAYO

Forty Years a Superintendent

On the evening of Wednesday, September 28, First Church, Lake Charles, La., celebrated the fortieth anniversary of Mr. A. M. Mayo's superintendency of the Sunday school. The social room of the church, beautifully decorated, was thrown open for the occasion. Rev. Elmer C. Gunn, pastor of the church, was master of ceremonies. After a social hour and reception to Mr. Mayo, a very happy program of vocal and instrumental numbers, interspersed with short talks, was rendered. On behalf of the Sunday school, Miss Julia Reid presented Mr. Mayo with a gavel made from wood of the old Broad Street Church, in which his Sunday school was conducted for many years. Dr. Gunn then presented a lovely watch chain.

Out-of-town guests were Drs. C. D. Atkinson, pastor at Lecompte; Dr. W. W. Holmes, pastor of Rayne Memorial Church, New Orleans, and Rev. D. B. Raulins, editor of the Christian Advocate and pastor of Algiers church, New Orleans. Among guests from local churches were Rev. Mr.

Our whole Church, in all her connectional interests, is involved in our Conference Collections this fall. Every pastor and every member should put forth every effort to raise the Conference Benevolences in FULL. God help us to do our best.

Rogers, pastor of the Simpson M. E. Church, and Rev. H. B. Hines, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Mayo has, for many years, conducted a most valuable and necessary business in Lake Charles. Marked characteristics of this work are neatness, thoroughness and orderliness. These same features have marked his life and work in the church. The church has enjoyed a very large place in his time and thought. He is a man for whom it is always nearer from where he is to some other place or appointment by way of the church. He has built his home, his business and his fellowships upon this principle. While no interest in the church is foreign to him the Sunday school has been the pride that took all pain out of sacrifice and all weariness out of work. In his school he has seen a generation pass from infancy into advanced adult life, and under his shepherding care they have received a shaping for good that will mark them always.

During the administration of Mr. Mayo the Sunday school and Christian education generally have undergone large, marked and vital changes. Unlike many who have been content to move or die in the "old rut," A. M. Mayo has labored faithfully to keep abreast of all improvements and has sought carefully to apply all the good. He has seen his school grow from an enrollment of 116 to 721. The recent Promotion Day was like a school commencement. (Advocate).

YOUNG PEOPLE ELECT OFFICERS IN OCTOBER

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ganization of the Young People's Division."

October Begins New Year

Attention is called to the change in the beginning of the year's work. Formerly the Epworth League year was counted from June to June. But under the present plan, the new year (with the exception of pledges which are made at assembly) begins with October, thus corresponding with the election of officers and teachers in the other divisions within the church.

List of Officers to Be Reported

A complete list of officers should be reported immediately following the election, to the District Secretary and to Miss Mary Searles, 323 Brice Street, Baton Rouge.

Records and Supplies

A complete set of records and report blanks is now ready and should be secured for each department before October. All may be secured from the Methodist Publishing, 1308 Commerce St. Dallas, Texas.

The new secretary's and treasurer's books are similar in size and form to those formerly used by the Epworth Leagues, and come at 50 cents each. The treasurer's book contains perforated remittance blanks which accompany all remittances for missions and conference pledges and anniversary day funds, to the Conference Treasurer.

The report blanks in booklet form are now ready. Form No. 295-H (price 18c) contains 52 weekly report blanks for the year, to the General Secretary. Form No. 395-H (price 45c) contains all report blanks for officers to the monthly council meetings, quarterly business meetings and reports of the local department or leagues to the District Secretary, Presiding Elder and Union. These blanks should be ordered immediately in order to be in readiness for the beginning of the new year in October.

Council and Business Meetings

Council meetings are still to be held monthly. Business meetings will be held quarterly, as follows: October, January, April, June, July. A definite time should be set at the beginning of the year for council and business meetings in order to avoid conflicting engagements. The new pamphlet "Planning and Promoting the Program" (No. 216-H) carries full information about these and other meetings.

Handbook

The pamphlets for the Young People's Division carry full instructions and information about the work and take the place of the former Epworth League Handbook and Department Program Manuals.

These are now ready and should be in the hand of all officers. Every member should have the standing committee pamphlet bearing on the committee to which he is assigned.

1932 SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY 1932

Alexandria District

Alexandria	$ 36.72
Bunkie	2.50
Lecompte	3.70
Marthaville	2.90
Melder	1.00
Palmetto	1.00
	$ 47.82

Baton Rouge District

Amite	$ 11.33
Baton Rouge	35.02
Bogalusa	10.00
Carpenter's Chapel	.90
Denham Springs	1.58
Ethel	5.12
Faithful	.85
Istrouma	3.00
Plaquemine	5.00
Ponchatoula	10.13
Springfield	2.07
Tunica	3.02
	$ 88.02

Lake Charles District

Abbeville	$ 16.00
Vinton	4.54
Sulphur	4.20
Lake Arthur	2.40
Lafayette	13.02
Gueydan	8.36
Crowley	10.00
New Iberia	5.21
Lake Charles	12.06
Hebron	1.00
	$ 76.79

Minden District

Bethel	$ 4.00
Brushwood	4.40
Davis Springs	2.95
Plain Dealing	7.57
Ringgold	3.75
Sicily Island	5.10
Standard	8.84
Winnfield	6.00
	$ 42.61

Monroe District

Bastrop	$ 5.15
Columbia	10.44
Little Creek	1.00
Mer Rouge	5.00
Monroe First Church	31.24
Tallulah	7.90
Union	4.00
Wisner	3.70
	$ 68.43

New Orleans District

Algiers	$ 13.30
Carrollton Ave.	44.40
Chalmette	4.25
Covington	2.00
Donaldsonville	1.80
Epworth	10.00
First Meth. Ch.	26.55
Gentilly	7.80
Louisiana Avenue	1.59
McDonoughville	5.80
Morgan City	2.52
Parker Memorial	10.60
Patterson	3.52
Rayne Memorial	49.74
Second Church	6.29
St. Marks	25.18
St. Martinville	3.00
	$218.34

Ruston District

Arcadia	$ 9.80
Athens	4.60
Calhoun	3.35
Clay	1.00
Dubach	4.50
Gibsland	8.27
Harmony Chapel	4.50
Haynesville	10.60
Homer	15.00
Jonesboro	4.01
Lisbon	6.30
Ruston	46.25
Wesley Chapel (Athens)	5.00
	$123.18

Shreveport District

Belcher	$ 3.36
Bossier City	5.75
Cedar Grove	5.00
Claiborne Avenue	2.00
Gilliam	4.00
Hosston	3.30
Mansfield	15.80
Noel Memorial	20.00
Park Avenue	5.54
Stonewall	2.00
Vivian	5.00
	$ 71.75
Grand Total	$736.94

MISSIONARY EDUCATION AT ST. MARK'S, NEW ORLEANS

Shares in Missionary Enterprise

The work being done at our St. Marks Church, New Orleans, particularly in the field of missionary education, should be an inspiration to every Church in Louisiana Methodism.

During 1931-32 shares were bought in the Home and Foregin Missionary enterprise as follows:

Children's Division	$ 20.00
Young People's Division	60.00
Adult Division	40.00
	$120.00

These shares through an active missionary educational program were over paid, as their offerings were given each fourth Sunday:

Children's Division	$ 31.14
Young People's Division	62.74
Adult Division	46.82
	$140.74

This accomplishment is the more remarkable when we remember that St. Mark's is a mission work itself, supported by funds from our Women's Work of the General Board of Missions.

Mr. Mike T. Mickal, the consecrated general superintendent, writes: "Closed a successful Church school year Sunday with Promotion Day. Had 156 present at Sunday school and a special program at the church hour. Am indeed happy over this."

Rev. J. A. Alford is the pastor at St. Mark's.

NEW CHURCH SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS

When this issue of the Bulletin reaches you the new Church School year will have gotten well under way. Every Church School should have had Promotion Day on the last Sunday in September in order that proper recognition be given those pupils completing the year's work. The principle of promotion should be observed, not only for the recognition due the pupil, but for maintaining the proper grading of the school.

The local Church Board of Christian Education should have plans in the making which will bring the school into the largest preparation for service in meeting the challenge of the community in building Christian character and training for Christian living.

STANDARD TRAINING SCHOOLS

The month of October marks the holding of a number of Standard Training Schools, and other training features:

October 9-14—New Orleans—
- Mrs. R. R. Branton — The Pre-School Child.
- Mrs. R. E. Smith—Worship in the Young People's Division.
- Mrs. W. W. Holmes—Primary Materials and Methods.
- Dr. D. L. Mumpower—Christian Education of Adults.
- Miss Mary Skinner—The Junior Child.

October 16-21—Ruston—
- Miss Barnett Spratt—Teaching Children.
- Dr. R. E. Smith—Bible.
- Rev. A. K. McLellan — Organizing for Christian Education.
- Rev. H. L. Johns—Building the Program for Seniors and Young People.

October 16-21—Alexandria—
- Mrs. W. W. Holmes—Teaching Children.
- Mrs. R. E. Smith—Worship in the Young People's Division.
- Dr. A. S. Lutz — The Formation of the Canon.

October 16-21—
- Dr. D. L. Mumpower will make an intinerary through the Monroe District to meet with groups of Adults for discussion concerning work and activities of the Adult Division. Special attention will also be given the organization of young adult groups.

October 18-21—Shreveport—
- Dr. J. Q. Schisler, Secretary of the Department of the Local Church, General Board of Christian Education, will be the principle speaker in an informal training program for the Shreveport District. He will also teach a Cokesbury Class at Belcher during the afternoons, using the course, Christian Education in the Small Church.

October 23-28—Lake Charles—
- Dr. D. L. Mumpower—Christian Education of Adults.
- Dr. W. W. Drake—World Mission of the Christian Religion.
- Rev. A. K. McLellan—Organization for Christian Education.

Oct. 30-Nov. 4—Haynesville-Homer—
- Mrs. R. R. Branton—Teaching Children.
- Dr. Cleanth Brooks—New Testament Survey.
- Rev. A. K. McLellan—Organization for Christian Education.

.:LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL:.

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

Louisiana — Kim in Korea — China — Europe — Africa — Japan — Brazil — Mexico — Cuba — Paine College

MONTH OF AUGUST, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 4.97	$ 3.42	$ 4.35	$ 12.74
Alco				
Bays Hills				
Bunkie				3.82
Boyce				
Basile				
Colfax				
Cheneyville				2.43
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.40	.25	.35	1.00
Fellowship				
Glenmora				
Hopewell				
Lecompte				
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				
Marksville				
Marthaville	.20	.30	.50	1.00
Montgomery				
Natchitoches		3.00		3.00
New Roads				
Oakdale				2.43
Oberlin				
Opelousas	1.75	.50	.35	2.75
Palmetto				
Petreville	.13	.35	.58	1.06
Pineville				
Provencal				
Pleasant Hill	.50	1.00	1.50	3.00
Robeline				
Rosedale				1.59
White's Chapel				
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite		1.00		1.00
Antioch				
Angie				
Baton Rouge:				
First Church				20.72
Istrouma	.75	1.35	1.25	3.35
Keener Mem.		2.30		2.30
Baker				
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				7.02
Buetoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs				1.77
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Ethel	.35	.30	.50	1.15
Friendship				
Franklinton	1.63	1.64	1.60	4.87
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond				
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood				
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehill				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				
Ponchatoula	1.01	1.76	2.71	5.48
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				1.41
Springfield				
St. Francisville				
Slaughter	.42	.89	1.10	2.41
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				
Zachary				
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	.43	2.95	1.18	4.56
Bell City				
Bayou Scie				.86
Church Point				
Crowley				
DeRidder				
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier				1.00
Gueydan	.67	2.36	.97	4.00
Hornbeck				
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				
Kaplan		.25		.81
Lafayette	1.54	.77	2.27	4.58
Lake Arthur				1.50
Lake Charles	6.28	4.63	7.32	18.23
Leesville				
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				8.86
Pine Grove				
Prospect				1.26
Rayne				
Sulphur	1.14	.77	.45	2.36
Vinton				5.00
Zwolle				
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				
Bethel				
Brushwood				
Benton				3.18
Campti				
Castor				
Cotton Valley	1.07	1.50	1.50	4.07
Coushatta	1.16	2.95	2.35	6.46
Clayton				
Davis Springs				
Doyline				
Eden				
Ferriday				
Good Pine				
Haughton				
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden				8.59
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	.73	1.32	1.64	3.69
Ringgold				2 60
Rochelle				3.80
Sicily Island				1.00
Sibley				1.41
Springhill				3.80
Standard				
Trout				
Winnfield				
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston		1.76		1.76
Columbia				
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi				
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				
Kilbourne				
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				
Lake Providence				6.35
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge	.68	3.52	.90	5.10
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	10.70	8.15	9.93	28.78
Mangham				
Oak Grove				
Oak Ridge				1.85
Pioneer				
Rayville				
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	1.42	1.49	2.05	4.96
Union				
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro				
Wisner	.97	1.50	2.34	4.81
Bayou Blue				
New Orleans District				
Berwick				
Covington				
Donaldsonville				
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				4.55
Houma				
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	.90	.72	.75	2.37
New Orleans:				
Algiers				
Chalmette				
Carrolton Ave.	6.10	4.36	13.86	24.32
Epworth				
Felicity		1.75	1.25	3.00
First Church	6.41	3.30	5.10	14.81
Gentilly				9.71
Louisiana Ave.	.35	.40	.60	1.35
McDonoughville				
Parker Mem.				
Rayne Mem.				23.36
Second Church	1.24	2.05	1.71	5.00
St. Mark's	2.77	1.85	4.12	8.74
Patterson				2.71
Point au Chien				
Slidell				2.00
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				
Athens				2.30
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				
Bethel				
Bernice				
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				
Claiborne				
Choudrant				
Clay				
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				2.00
Dubach				
Dykesville				
Downsville		1.05		1.05
Eros				
Farmerville				
Gibsland				
Homer				
Haynesville				40.00
Hilly				
Harmony				1.90
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				
Lisbon				
Longstraw				
Marion				2.00
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				
Ruston				
Simsboro				
Sikes				
Strange				
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				.60
Shreveport District				
Belcher				3.83
Bossier City				
Bethany				
Bethel				1.40
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				
Grand Cane				9.00
Gilliam	1.00	.49		1.49
Greenwood				
Hosston				
Ida				
Keithville				
Logansport				
Longstreet				1.41
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	2.61	.85	3.46	6.92
Mooringsport				
Mitchell				
Naborton				
Noble				
Oil City				
Pelican				1.00
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove				4.28
Claibourne				
First Church	10.22	6.70	21.25	38.17
Mangum Mem.				
Noel Mem.	7.58	11.26	6.73	25.57
Park Ave.				2.00
Stonewall				
Vivian				2.50

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

Help us to keep this list correct by sending your offering to Floyd B. James, Treas., Box 742, and Wallace White, Treas. Young People's Conference, Box 260, Alexandria, before 10th of each month.

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WORKERS MAKE REPORTS TO CONFERENCE BOARD

REPORT OF CONFERENCE DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S DIVISION

To Louisiana Conference Board of Christian Education:

Gentlemen—Since planning for the future should always receive more attention than recalling past successes or failures, this report will contain more recommendations than statistics.

The need among children's workers of the Conference is great. Everywhere I have been I have found people who were eager to help. One junior teacher said, "I know I am not doing good teaching, but I know it is because I have never had a chance to take any kind of course that would help me to understand my job better." Another teacher in a small church said, "Couldn't you come and stay with us a few days and talk over our problems and help us make plans for doing better work in our children's division?" These are typical of the requests that have come that could not be granted because of lack of funds and time. The fields are truly "white unto harvest," and some person who could give full time to directing our work with children is a most urgent need of the Conference.

We have only three District Directors of children's work. I have failed in my efforts to secure workers in the other districts. In some cases there have been elections, but those elected have not responded to my letters and as far as I know have not functioned in any way. Some of our district workers have resigned because of the lack of funds for doing the correspondence that they felt needed to

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REV. W. H. GILES REPORTS ADULT DIVISION WORK

Rev. W. H. Giles, Conference Director of Adult Work, in making his report to the Conference Board of Christian Education, points out some features of adult work done during the year 1931-32. In each district there has been appointed district directors of adult work; in two of the districts Associate, or Wesley Fellowship Directors are at work.

In connection with the Young People's Assembly at Mansfield, an attempt was made to enlist those older young people in some definite work in the Adult Division along the lines suggested in the Wesley Fellowship group organization. It is hoped that the work done here will arouse interest toward the further promotion and organization of Wesley Fellowship groups.

Courses for adults were given in the New Orleans and Lake Charles Standard Training Schools; Dr. D. L. Mumpower of the Adult Division of our General Board of Christian Education was the instructor in all of these activities. During the week of October 16 Dr. Mumpower made an itinerary through the Monroe District, visiting a large number of churches during this week. He was present at a District Federation meeting on Sunday afternoon at Rayville. Rev. H. B. Hines has been very active as a District Director of Adult Work in the Monroe District, at least three federations have been held under his direction.

It is our desire that the Board of Christian Education will give serious consideration to the ongoing of the Adult Work in our Conference.

REPORT OF PROMOTIONAL AND EXTENSION SECRETARY

In planning the program for the work of the Board for the year 1931-32, it was thought wise to keep in mind two things:

1. To use as much volunteer help as possible, and

2. To outline certain definite things to be done and concentrate on these.

Early in the year definite efforts were made to organize in each district a Board of Christian Education, which would be responsible for the work of the Board within the district. Seven districts have completed such an organization, at least two of these are quite active. It is our sincere hope that in time, these district boards of Christian Education will prove more than paper organizations.

I. Institutes

In order that our people might become informed concerning the work of Christian Education in the local church we have held as many, and wherever possible, the institute type of informal training. Twenty-three (23) of these institutes were held during the year in the New Orleans, Lake Charles, Minden, Monroe, Shreveport, and Alexandria Districts.

II. Leadership Training Work

Because of the many difficulties we feel our training record for this Conference year has been very worth while. Standard Training Credits awarded, which included 8 standard training schools, 1 young people's conference, and 2 standard training classes, totaled 448. Cokesbury credits issued, 102; Christian culture credits, 477; and Christian Adventure credits 180. These were given in the two Assemblies at Mansfield. In each Standard Training School, and in every other way, the local churches were urged to "CARRY ON" a continued training program, through local training classes, correspondence, supervised study, and in individual and group study.

III. Special Days and Seasons

The young people made diligent efforts toward a large observance of Young Peoples' Day, March 13. The Board of Christian Education should lend every assistance to a church-wide observance of Young Peoples' Day in our Conference.

In the promotion of the observance of Sunday School Day April 17, beside other publicity, a program was sent to each superintendent in the conference, and an offering goal of 10 cents per member was suggested. An effort was made to increase the number of Sunday schools in the Con-

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MISS MARY SEARLES REPORTS FOR YOUNG PEOPLES DIVISION

Since I have served in the above capacity only since the 1932 Young People's Assembly in June, my report at this time will be necessarily incomplete. However, I have tried to do as much as possible in these few months to promote the work of Christian education in the Young People's Division. This work has been carried on almost entirely by correspondence, though I have tried to reach some few young people's groups where help seemed greatly needed and requested.

This throws a great deal of responsibility upon the district secretaries, most of whom are working very faithfully and willingly. Most of the good results accomplished since assemblies may be credited to efforts of the district secretaries.

During the summer, four camps were held—one Christian Adventure Camp at Lake Arthur in Lake Charles District; Christian Culture Camps at Lake Arthur and at Bluff Creek in Baton Rouge District; and a non-credit camp at Camp Caddo in Shreveport District. A week-end Christian Culture Institute was held at

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CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
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DECEMBER 4th EPWORTH HIGHROAD NIGHT

Dear friends:

Something over a hundred thousand of us who read the Epworth Highroad regularly "point with pride" to this most unusual magazine for young people. The reason is, we like it.

It is truly a youth magazine, written from the point of view and thoroughly alive to the modern world in which youth lives. You will like its stories, its forum page, the news it carries of what is going on in the world. But, most significant of all, you will find in the Epworth Highroad the lesson material for your Sunday school class on Sunday mornings, the material you will need for preparing your Epworth League meeting programs on Sunday evenings, and helps and suggestions for the general activities of your department and your Union.

The Epworth Highroad is the official magazine of the Young People's Division. It carries authoritative information. You cannot hope to keep informed without it.

On Epworth Highroad Night you can share your enthusiasm over the magazine and make arrangements whereby each young person in the church is regularly supplied with it. My best wishes to you for an interesting observance of Epworth Highroad Night this year.

Cordially yours,
WALTER TOWNER.

WESLEY CHAPEL STUDY CLASS

"We had thirteen credits on "The Christian's Religion" at Wesley Chapel.

This surely is a fine study. Think a great many more received great benefit. I taught it as the morning study for our revival meeting in July. All seemed to appreciate it very much.

W. F. HENDERSON, JR.

REPORT OF PROMOTIONAL AND EXTENSION SECRETARY

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ference, to observe this day, and thereby at least equal the amount raised in former years. 103 schools reported observing Sunday School Day, and an offering remitted.

The loyalty of our schools in observing Missionary Day is most gratifying, yet, there is a large number who send no offering at any time. Comparing our offerings with those of other conferences, we rate along with the average, and stand in approximately the 10th place.

Working in cooperation with Dr. George S. Sexton, and Mr. R. R. Ewerz of Centenary College, material was furnished in the May issue of the bulletin for a church-wide observance of College Day. Quite a number of our pastors reported a successful observance of this day in their churches.

There was quite a wide-spread observance of Childhood and Youth Week throughout the Conference during the month of October. A radio program was broadcasted from Monroe each morning of the week of October 9th by Rev. Henry A. Rickey, educational director, and other workers of the First Methodist Church of Monroe. A most interesting poster display was made by the workers of the Ruston Church. These posters were placed in the windows of the merchants of the city.

The Vacation Church School material of our General Board of Christian Education is available for use in Vacation Sessions of the Church School throughout the Church. Workers in the children's divisions are urged to encourage the use of this material in Vacation schools in our Conference. A large number of Vacation Sessions were held in the local churches, but in many instances were unrelated to the work of the Church school in the local church.

IV. Missionary Education-Extension

In the promotion of missionary education in our Conference we have tried to place before our people the need of missionary education in the local church, and to encourage them to use the missionary information available from the fields included in the Home and Foreign Missionary Enterprise, to arouse a dynamic and purposeful missionary interest among the children, young people and adults in the Church school.

The bulletin has always been our most consistent medium of promotion, and we wish it were possible for this to go into the hands of everyone of our workers in the local church.

Other means have been used in an effort to keep a sustained interest, such as personal visitation, personal and form letters, etc.

In an effort to balance the work to be done we were not able to do as much of the extension work as desired. During the first week in May there was held a series of institutes in which Rev. B. L. Schubel of the Nashville Office was present. Practically every Church in our French Mission Field was visited during this time. From the response, it seems certain that much good came of these meetings.

A number of Cokesbury classes were held in the local churches; Dr. J. Q. Schisler taught a Cokesbury Class at Gilliam; a total of 99 Cokesbury credits were issued this year.

In Conclusion

We should like to express our deep appreciation for the full and sympathetic cooperation of Miss Nannie White, Office Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Langford, Miss Mary Searles, and the Conference and District workers, Dr. W. W. Drake, Rev. J. B. Grambling, Mrs. R. R. Branton, Mr. Floyd B. James, Wallace White, Dr. A. S. Lutz, Rev. C. D. Atkinson, Rev. J. H. Bowdon, Rev. H. E. Pfost, Rev. W. H. Giles, Rev. R. L. Armstrong, Rev. J. S. Henley, and Rev. Guy M. Hicks.

I wish to express to the Board my sincere thanks for the opportunity of working with and for them, and particularly to Dr. Frank L. Wells for his kindness to me personally and his wise direction of the entire program of the Conference Board of Christian Education.

A. K. McLELLAN,
Promotional and Extension Secretary

November 16, 1932.

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be done. These people were willing to give time, but could not finance the district work themselves. Had I been able to travel over the Conference more, I could have discovered and trained persons to take the responsibilites that the office of District Director of Children's Work requires.

There is need for calling together our district workers at least once each year, in order that we may arrive at some common understandings and make plans for the next year's work. An appropriation for such a meeting would be most acceptable.

We have had a number of good observances of Childhood and Youth Week throughout the Conference. The Radio station in Monroe gave some time for broadcasting in interest of the promotion of this week.

The Vacation School work is moving forward but is in great need of supervision. Your director of Children's work should by all means get in touch with and assist each church that is planning a Vacation Church school, in order that we may have schools that are not simply exhibits, but rather experiences in Christian living for the boys and girls who come.

I have been able to hold a number of meetings for children's workers. These have, for the most part, been well attended and the interest good. Series of meetings have been held in the Monroe and Lake Charles Districts the latter being in cooperation with the other divisions. Single

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1932 SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY 1932

We wish to take this opportunity of expressing our sincere appreciation and gratitude to the schools listed below for their loyal and generous support of our Program of Christian Education through the offerings listed:

Alexandria District

Alexandria	$ 36.72
Bunkie	2.50
Lecompte	3.70
Marthaville	2.90
Melder	1.00
Natchitoches	5.00
Palmetto	1.00
White Chapel	1.40
	$ 54.22

Baton Rouge District

Amite	$ 11.33
Baton Rouge	35.02
Bogalusa	10.00
Carpenter's Ch'pl	.90
Clinton	3.00
Denham Springs	1.58
Ethel	5.12
Faithful	.85
Istrouma	3.00
Plaquemine	5.00
Ponchatoula	10.13
Springfield	2.07
Tunica	3.02
	$ 91.02

Lake Charles District

Abbeville	$ 16.00
Church Point	2.00
Vinton	4.54
Sulphur	4.20
Lake Arthur	2.40
Lafayette	13.02
Gueydan	8.36
Crowley	10.00
New Iberia	5.21
Lake Charles	12.06
Hebron	1.00
	$78.79

Minden District

Alden Bridge	$ 3.00
Bethel	4.00
Brushwood	4.40
Coushatta	5.72
Davis Springs	2.95
Ferriday	5.00
Plain Dealing	7.57
Ringgold	3.75
Sicily Island	5.10
Standard	8.84
Winnfield	6.00
	$ 56.33

Monroe District

Bastrop	$ 5.15
Columbia	10.44
Gordon Avenue	3.67
Little Creek	1.00
Mer Rouge	5.00
Monroe First C.	31.24
Tallulah	7.90
Union	4.00
West Monroe	8.00
Wisner	3.70
	$ 80.10

New Orleans District

Algiers	$ 13.30
Berwick	2.00
Carrollton Ave.	44.40
Chalmette	4.25
Covington	2.00
Donaldsonville	1.80
Epworth	10.00
First Meth. Ch.	26.55
Gentilly	7.80
Louisiana Ave.	1.50
McDonoughville	5.80
Morgan City	2.52
Parker Mem.	10.60
Rayne Mem.	49.74
Patterson	3.52
Second Church	6.20
St. Marks	25.18
St. Martinville	3.00
	$220.34

Ruston District

Arcadia	$ 9.80
Athens	4.60
Calhoun	3.35
Clay	1.00
Dubach	4.50
Eros	1.05
Gibsland	8.27
Harmony Chapel	4.50
Haynesville	10.60
Homer	15.00
Jonesboro	4.01
Lisbon	6.30
Ruston	46.25
Wesley Chapel (Athens)	5.00
	$124.23

Shreveport District

Belcher	$ 3.36
Benson	1.15
Bethany	2.50
Bossier City	5.75
Cedar Grove	5.00
Claiborne Ave.	2.00
Flournoy	3.00
Gilliam	4.00
Greenwood	3.00
Hosston	3.30
Keithville	1.50
Logansport	5.00
Mangum Mem.	5.00
Mansfield	15.80
Noble	1.34
Noel Mem.	20.00
Park Ave.	5.54
Stonewall	2.00
Vivian	5.00
	$ 94.24

GRAND TOTAL $799.27

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meetings have been held in the Ruston, Minden, and New Orleans districts. I have taught in three Standard Training Schools during the year, I attended at my own expense, our Leadership School at Mt. Sequoyah.

The work of parent education is making some progress. More and more our churches are realizing that they must bring parents and teachers together in a study of the needs and nature of the children they are seeking to guide. This phase of our work is in great need of promotion and guidance.

Throughout the year contact has been maintained with our General Board of Christian Education. To them I am grateful for guidance and help.

I wish to express appreciation to the board for the opportunity of service they have given me this year, and to urge that the children's division director for next year be given the same support I have had. Nothing will help her more than for the members of the board to make it possible for her to come into their own churches and come to know the needs of the people. She should also have an appropriation that would enable her to feel that she could do the promotional correspondence that needs so much to be done.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAM AT SHREVEPORT

In cooperation with the presiding elder, Dr. H. T. Carley, and the pastors and superintendents of the churches in the city, a series of four institutes were held each night at the First Methodist Church, October 18, 19, 20, 21. Dr. J. Q. Schisler, Secretary of the Department of the Local Church of our General Board of Christian Education, was the principal speaker, using as his theme CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN THE LOCAL CHURCH.

Preceding the lecture each evening, Dr. H. T. Carley, presiding elder; Dr. W. Angie Smith, pastor of First Methodist Church; Rev. L. W. Cain, pastor at Park Avenue, and Rev. W. G. Gray, pastor at Mangum Memorial, gave the devotionals.

Each afternoon Dr. Schisler taught a large class at Gilliam, La., using the course "ORGANIZING FOR CHRISTIAN IN THE SMALL CHURCH." The pastor, Rev. Ira W. Flowers, reports fifteen credits were given to the members of this class. The pastor and workers of the churches at Belcher and Gilliam should be commended for the preparation they made in securing attendance for this class.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Meetings held	16
Workers attending	300
Churches represented	45
Training classes taught	3
Conferences held	20
Letters written	300
Articles written	12
Miles traveled	4030
Expenditures	$45.32

MISS MARY SEARLES REPORTS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S DIVISION

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Harmon in Shreveport District, in August, the first of its kind in that church. A week-end Christian Culture Institute was held in Ponchatoula for Baton Rouge District the first week-end in November. Two Christian Culture classes were held early in September by the Istrouma young people. A non-credit all-day rally was held in Mer Rouge in Monroe District in July.

There are eighteen active young people's unions, with prospects for organizing at least two more in the near future. The officers of these unions, in most part, report good meetings held regularly, and accounts of their meetings have appeared from time to time in the various periodicals.

Three District Secretaries have sent in very good reports of the work of the last quarter of the official year. We are gradually building up an accurate and adequte mailing list of young people's officers, that we may keep in touch with them in every way possible.

The Young People's Conference organization purchased a lettergraph, with which I have published a monthly news sheet known as Broadcastics, carrying suggested activities for local young people's divisions, news from the field, and so forth. Also, I have gotten out letters to all pastors in the conference, and programs for various meetings.

I have kept our work before the people of the Conference through the columns of the New Orleans Christian Advocate, having missed only a few weeks since assemblies. This through the courtesy of Rev. D. B. Raulins. Also, I have reported each month in the Christian Education Bulletin.

In September, the annual meeting of our Young People's Conference Council was held in Alexandria, where a program of work for the year was drawn up. It was voted to send the president and the Field Secretary to the meeting of the Educational Council at Nashville December 13-16.

I have made two trips into the field, reaching four or five churches on the first, and attending a meeting of the W. L. Doss Union; and reaching four churches directly on the second trip. I have tried to help churches get their program of Christian Education re-organized according to the new plans, not only by this infrequent personal contact, but by correspondence.

Financially, our young people are rather embarrassed, like a great many other phases of Christian work, just now. Very little has been paid, to date, on Conference Promotion Pledges, but we are hoping that this money will begin to come in after the obligations of Conference are past for this year. Observance of Missionary Sunday with special offering sent to Conference treasurer is fairly general.

Although this work of promoting the work of the young people is extremely difficult without being able to be out in the field full time, yet I believe we can do great things with the splendid officers we now have. We are looking forward to a good year ahead. We pledge our best to the work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY SEARLES.

LOCAL CHURCH MISSION SPECIAL

HOME AND FOREIGN MISSION ENTERPRISE

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MONTHS OF OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER, 1932

	Children's Division	Young People's Division	Adult Division	Total
Alexandria District				
Alexandria	$ 10.71	$14.51	$ 7.45	$ 32.67
Alco				
Bays Hills	.10	.10	.10	.30
Bunkie				3.82
Boyce				5.45
Basile				
Colfax				6.66
Cheneyville				1.12
Chicot, St. Landry				
Elizabeth				
Eunice	.70	.70	.60	2.00
Fellowship				
Glenmora				
Hopewell				
Lecompte				12.00
Lottie				
Melder				
Melville				3.00
Marksville				
Marthaville	.25	.35	.40	1.00
Montgomery				
Natchitoches				17.00
New Roads				
Oakdalé				8.33
Oberlin				
Opelousas	1.75	.50	.35	2.75
Palmetto				
Petreville	.60	1.20	1.65	3.45
Pineville				
Provencal				
Pleasant Hill	1.00	.96	2.63	4.59
Robeline				11.08
Rosedale				4.72
White's Chapel	.55	.38	.55	1.68
Baton Rouge District				
Albany				
Amite	8.03	6.76	5.34	20.13
Antioch				
Angie				
Baton Rouge:				
First Church	9.25	5.05	7.45	21.75
Istrouma	1.00	3.04	2.00	6.04
Keener Mem.		2.30		2.30
Baker				8.60
Bethel				
Blackwater				
Bogalusa				13.72
Buctoville				
Bush				
Clinton				
Carpenter's Chapel				
Denham Springs	.52	1.15	.75	2.62
Deerford				
Days				
Darlington				
Ethel	.35	.30	.50	1.15
Friendship				
Franklinton	3.03	2.07	2.41	7.49
Fisher				
Greenburg				
Hammond	3.08	1.65	3.64	8.37
Huff's Chapel				
Jackson				
Kentwood	8.75	10.25	14.25	33.25
Live Oak				
Lee's Landing				
Mangham				
Meadow's Chapel				
Montpelier				
Maurepas				
New River				
Natalbany				
New Hope				
Pinehili				
Pine Ridge				
Pearl River				
Pine Grove				
Plaquemine				6.11
Ponchatoula	4.94	8.22	10.02	23.18
Red Oak				
St. Tammany				2.81
Springfield				
St. Francisville				3.77
Slaughter	.69	1.09	.95	2.73
Tickfaw				
Tunica				
Talisheek				
Tangipahoa				
Walker				.35
Wesley (Greenburg)				
Wesley (Natalbany)				2.75
Zachary				
Lake Charles District				
Abbeville	1.20	5.47	2.97	9.64
Bell City				1.50
Bayou Scie				.86
Church Point				
Crowley				50.68
DeRidder				
Estherwood				
Grand Chenier				1.90
Gueydan	1.80	4.16	1.54	7.50
Hornbeck				3.51
Holly Grove				
Hebron				
Iota				
Indian Bayou				3.50
Kaplan				1.68
Lafayette	4.62	2.95	2.87	10.45
Lake Arthur				.88
Lake Charles	11.23	11.19	10.97	34.12
Leesville				22.64
Many				
Merryville				
Moss Bluff				
New Iberia				4.58
Pine Grove				
Prospect				1.67
Rayne				
Sulphur	2.50	1.37	2.55	6.42
Vinton				7.95
Zwolle				
Minden District				
Alden Bridge				5.00
Bethel				.35
Brushwood				
Benton				3.57
Campti				
Castor				
Cotton Valley	3.39	3.60	3.67	10.61
Coushatta	1.50	.94	1.25	4.44
Clayton				
Davis Springs				
Doyline				
Eden				
Ferriday				
Good Pine				
Haughton				
Hall Summit				
Holly Springs				
Jena				
Jonesville				
Jamestown				
Lee Bayou				
Minden		3.65		11.91
Olla				
Pine Grove				
Pleasant Valley				
Plain Dealing	1.66	2.91	2.37	6.94
Ringgold				6.45
Rochelle				8.70
Sicily Island				1.00

This page gives the offering from each Church School for the month only. Please check your records by month accordingly! Use Report Blank for proper division of offering!

Sibley				3.65
Springhill	1.51	2.82	2.90	7.23
Standard				
Trout				
Winnfield				10.00
Walker's Chapel				
Monroe District				
Bastrop				
Bonita				11.48
Bartholemew				
Bon Idee				
Chart				
Crew Lake				
Collingston		1.76		1.76
Columbia				32.29
Crowville				
Darnell				
Delhi				
Epps				
Forest				
Fort Necessity				
Grayson				
Girard				
Gilbert				10.00
Kilbourne				3.00
Hebert				
Jones				
Little Creek				3.38
Lake Providence				5.85
McGinty				
Midway				
Mer Rouge				5.21
Monroe:				
Gordon Ave.				
Monroe	28.77	23.31	98.06	131.84
Mangham				
Oak Grove				1.50
Oak Ridge		1.23		5.98
Pioneer				
Rayville				
Sterlington				
Swartz				
Tallulah	4.54	4.05	5.77	14.36
Union				2.42
Waterproof				
Wesley Chapel				
West Monroe				
Winnsboro				2.00
Wisner	2.19	5.00	3.86	11.10
Bayou Blue				
New Orleans District				
Berwick				9.04
Covington				3.00
Donaldsonville				4.10
Eagle Island				
Fitzgerald				
Franklin				
Griffin				4.55
Houma		4.00		4.00
Jeanerette				
Lacombe				
Labadieville				
Lockport				
Morgan City	2.06	2.71	1.58	5.35
New Orleans:				
Algiers	6.60	4.82	2.68	14.70
Chalmette				
Carrolton Ave.	14.47	10.12	27.69	52.28
Epworth	5.49	3.30	4.00	12.20
Felicity	2.81	3.19	2.50	8.50
First Church	16.97	5.67	5.15	27.79
Gentilly				8.06
Louisiana Ave.	.92	1.00	.94	2.86
McDonoughville				
Parker Mem.	11.80	4.30	4.12	20.22
Rayne Mem.				15.78
Second Church				9.63
St. Mark's	5.46	4.31	6.56	16.33
Patterson				1.78
Point au Chien				
Slidell				3.70
St. Martinville				
Waldheim				
Ruston District				
Arcadia				
Athens				1.88
Arizona				
Alabama				
Antioch				.95
Bethel				
Bernice				4.00
Bienville				
Bear Creek				
Bryceland				
Bird's Chapel				
Calhoun				4.35
Claiborne				
Choudrant				
Clay				
Colquit				
Drew				
Douglas				
Dodson				2.00
Dubach				6.73
Dykesville				
Downsville	.40	.60	1.00	3.52
Eros				
Farmerville				
Gibsland				
Homer				
Haynesville				40.00
Hilly		.75		.75
Harmony				4.05
Indian Village				
Jonesboro				
Lisbon	1.41	2.04	4.35	7.80
Longstraw				
Marion				3.92
Oak Ridge				
Quitman				
Ruston				23.00
Simsboro				1.25
Sikes				
Strange				
Summerfield				
Vienna				
Wesley (Clay)				
Wesley (Athens)				1.48
Shreveport District				
Bayou Scie				.80
Belcher				8.51
Bossier City				
Bethany				7.50
Bethel				.64
Benson				
Flournoy				
Converse				
Grand Cane				9.00
Gilliam	.46	1.00		1.46
Greenwood		1.30	2.43	3.73
Hosston				
Ida				
Keithville	1.00	1.959	1.05	4.00
Logansport				4.00
Longstreet				1.95
Munnerlyn				
Mansfield	7.90	1.73	7.47	17.00
Mooringsport				
Mitchell				
Naborton				
Noble				2.50
Oil City				2.00
Pelican				1.00
Shreveport:				
Cedar Grove				5.40
Claibourne				
First Church	23.10	17.89	40.72	81.71
Mangum Mem.		5.00		5.00
Noel Mem.	19.33	4.64	16.70	40.67
Park Ave.		2.00		6.00
Stonewall				
Vivian				2.50

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